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STATISTICS OF WESTERN AUSTRALIA.

I.—POPULATION AND VITAL STATISTICS.

Population of Metropolitan Area, Estimate, 31st December, 1932, Males, 103,600 ;
Females, 104,900 ; Total, 208,500.

No. 1.—Population of Western Australia (exclusive of full-blood Aborigines*) from 1923.

Period.	Estimated Population on last day of period.			Increase during period.	Masculinity. §	Mean Population.
	Males.	Females.	Total.			
1923	189,429	164,386	353,815	10,207	7.08	348,275
1928	220,209	185,664	405,873	13,581	8.51	399,082
1929	225,861	190,902	416,763	10,890	8.39	411,318
1930	226,713	193,893	420,606	3,843	7.80	418,627
1931	225,586	196,023	421,609	1,003	7.01	420,794
1932	225,614	197,578	423,192	1,583	6.62	422,436
First Quarter, 1933	225,901	198,282	424,183	991	6.51	423,687
April, 1933	225,919	198,462	424,381	198	6.47	424,282
May, 1933	226,136	198,921	425,057	676	6.40	424,719
June, 1933	226,227	199,106	425,333	276	6.38	425,195
Second Quarter, 1933	226,227	199,106	425,333	1,150	6.38	424,758

* Estimated Full-blood Aboriginal Population in the State on 30th June, 1932 : 24,817.

§ Number of Males over Females in each 100 of total population.

† Decrease.

No. 2.—Arrivals in and Departures* from Western Australia from 1923.

Period.	Arrivals.			Departures.*			Excess of Arrivals over Departures.		
	Males.	Females.	Total.	Males.	Females.	Total.	Males.	Females.	Total.
1923	21,617	12,218	33,835	17,681	10,871	28,552	3,936	1,347	5,283
1928	22,781	13,258	36,039	16,464	11,058	27,522	6,317	2,200	8,517
1929	19,903	12,944	32,847	16,327	10,751	27,078	3,576	2,193	5,769
1930	13,012	9,445	22,457	14,639	9,401	24,040	† 1,627	44	† 1,683
1931	8,363	5,829	14,192	11,542	6,515	18,057	† 3,179	† 686	† 3,865
1932	8,809	6,637	15,446	10,598	7,515	18,113	† 1,789	† 878	† 2,667
First Quarter, 1933	3,046	2,639	5,685	3,177	2,623	5,800	† 131	16	† 115
April, 1933	917	793	1,710	1,053	823	1,876	† 136	† 30	† 166
May, 1933	961	859	1,820	924	643	1,567	37	216	253
June, 1933	735	533	1,268	813	595	1,408	† 78	† 62	† 140
Second Quarter, 1933... ..	2,613	2,185	4,798	2,790	2,061	4,851	† 177	124	† 53

* Including allowance for unrecorded departures.

† Excess of departures over arrivals.

No. 3.—Assisted and Nominated Immigration from 1923.

Period.	Adults (12 years and upwards).			Children under 12 years of age.			Total.		
	Males.	Females.	Total.	Males.	Females.	Total.	Males.	Females.	Total.
1923a	4,855	1,467	6,322	734	604	1,338	5,589	2,071	7,660
1928	2,612	1,155	3,767	407	346	753	3,019	1,501	4,520
1929	1,656	905	2,561	247	198	445	1,903	1,103	3,006
1930	184	164	348	72	39	111	256	203	459
1931	7	16	23	49	27	76	56	43	99
1932	14	16	30	46	49	95	60	65	125
First Quarter, 1933 ... ..	...	4	4	...	...	...	...	4	4
Second Quarter ... ..	...	2	2	...	...	...	...	2	2

a Including Immigrants under the Ex-Service Scheme.

No. 4.—Number of Marriages, Births, and Deaths registered in Western Australia from 1923.

Period.	Marriages Registered.	Births Registered			Deaths Registered.			Excess of Births over Deaths.	Annual Birth, Death, and Marriage Rate per 1,000 of Mean Population.		
		M.	F.	Total.	M.	F.	Total.		Birth Rate.	Death Rate.	Marriage Rate.
1923	2,376	4,014	3,840	7,854	1,907	1,023	2,930	4,924	22.55	8.41	6.82
1928	3,309	4,493	4,211	8,704	2,229	1,411	3,640	5,064	21.81	9.12	8.29
1929	3,367	4,548	4,503	9,051	2,472	1,458	3,930	5,121	22.00	9.55	8.19
1930	3,205	4,827	4,373	9,200	2,348	1,426	3,774	5,426	21.98	9.02	7.66
1931	2,741	4,428	4,121	8,549	2,376	1,305	3,681	4,868	20.32	8.75	6.51
1932	2,904	4,122	3,843	7,965	2,305	1,410	3,715	4,250	18.85	8.79	6.87
First Quarter, 1933	797	1,014	1,068	2,082	596	380	976	1,106	19.93	9.34	7.63
April, 1933	323	315	304	619	161	94	255	364	17.75	7.31	9.25
May, 1933	306	382	361	743	202	118	320	423	20.60	8.87	8.48
June, 1933	249	374	347	721	205	100	305	416	20.63	8.73	7.12
Second Quarter, 1933	878	1,071	1,012	2,083	568	312	880	1,203	19.67	8.31	8.29

II.—CENSUS OF 1921.

NOTE.—All figures are exclusive of full-blood aboriginals.

No. 5.—Summary of Populations of Local Government Areas in Western Australia on 4th April, 1921.

Local Government Areas.					Population.		
					Males.	Females.	Total.
Municipalities—							
Metropolitan					59,284	64,380	123,664
Other					21,291	21,280	42,571
Total					80,575	85,660	166,235
Road Districts					92,502	68,805	161,307
Migratory †					4,201	989	5,190
Total for the State					177,278	155,454	332,732
Census, 3-4-11					161,565	120,549	282,114

† Includes Half-Caste Aboriginals, Railway Travellers, and Shipping.

III.—FINANCE.

No. 6.—State Revenue, July, 1932, to June, 1933.

Particulars.	9 months ended March, 1933.	April.	May.	June.	Particulars.	9 months ended March, 1933.	April.	May.	June.
GOVERNMENTAL.					PUBLIC UTILITIES.				
TAXATION.	£	£	£	£		£	£	£	£
Land Tax	86,612	16,497	18,584	9,270	Aborig. Cattle Stns.	1,764	53	160	923
Income Tax	93,299	19,737	31,306	24,667	Bunbury Harb. Bd.	2,600	...	...	400
Dividend Duty	105,192	35,176	19,945	8,301	Fmtle. Harb. Trust	174,662	17,518	20,518	18,397
Totalisator Tax	34,987	4,969	4,088	3,248	Goldf. Wtr. Supply	117,985	16,357	13,460	24,170
Stamp Duty	146,309	13,301	17,656	14,281	Kalgoorlie Ab'toirs	3,341	392	427	970
Probate Duty	72,936	7,114	5,206	6,738	Met. Ab'toirs and	...	...	...	...
Amusements Tax	45,691	5,858	5,709	5,228	Saleyards	26,783	3,486	3,689	4,295
Financial Emergency Tax ... ..	...	33,751	37,194	34,412	Met. Markets	454	...	...	...
Licenses	62,755	481	593	434	Met. Water Supply and Sewerage	...	...	...	...
Taxation—Other	96,988	...	1	1	Other Hydr. Undertakings	290,024	20,853	22,121	17,199
Total	744,769	136,884	140,282	106,580	Perth City M'kts.	32,552	2,880	3,329	4,463
TERRITORIAL.					Railways	872	121	166	105
Land Revenue	173,246	9,492	5,105	9,569	Tramways	2,171,933	251,226	260,170	237,487
Mining Revenue	12,953	2,146	2,945	2,259	Electricity Supply	212,500	21,900	25,069	27,733
Timber Revenue	42,455	5,128	5,271	8,581	State Batteries	207,182	22,963	23,648	25,509
Total	228,654	16,766	13,321	20,409	Cave Houses, etc.	71,955	8,995	8,263	9,706
LAW COURTS.					State Ferries	4,975	597	294	116
Dept. Re-Imbursements, Fees, etc.	33,666	4,089	4,774	4,666		...	720	698	578
Royal Mint	732,333	162,950	83,477	371,963	STATE TRADING CONCERNS.				
Interest Contributions	15,858	1,400	1,500	2,390	Balances transferred	800	...	...	750
Commonwealth Grants Act	375,000	41,667	41,667	41,667	Recoup of Dep'tm'l Charges, Interest, etc.	46,831	179	493	46,225
Total	730,077	81,120	81,120	81,116	Total	3,367,213	368,240	382,510	414,026
Total, Governmental	2,485,357	403,209	324,474	587,124	GRAND TOTAL ...	5,852,570	771,449	706,984	1,001,150

No. 7.—State Expenditure, July, 1932, to June, 1933.

Particulars.	9 months ended March, 1933.	April.	May.	June.	Particulars.	9 months ended March, 1933.	April.	May.	June.
ESTABLISHMENTS.	£	£	£	£	Special Acts.	£	£	£	£
H.E. the Governor	976	102	117	434	Constitution Acts	8,081	795	1,092	1,009
Legislative Council	1,053	111	112	126	Loan Acts	2,645,956	293,997	293,997	270,440
Legislative Assembly	1,718	169	178	218	Aborigines	10,000	...	...	...
House Committee	3,058	202	249	291	Annuities	154	8	17	17
Printing Committee	2,942	290	290	385	Auditor General	600	67	67	67
Library Committee	236	5	15	9	Com. of Railways	1,162	129	129	129
Total	9,983	879	961	1,463	Commonwealth Pen-sions	664	...	...	6,000
Departments.					Court of Arbitration	2,223	242	243	242
Premier's Office	10,663	921	1,221	1,671	Dairy Cattle	376	15	...	72
London Agency	6,434	585	689	1,401	Fire B'gdes Act	9,390	...	2,985	...
P.S. Commissioner	957	86	105	115	Constrv. of Forests	628	70	70	70
Motor Cars	3,284	45	12	Cr. 263	Forests Act	13,751	2,035	1,016	1,177
Printing	37,441	4,142	3,204	4,529	Parliamentary Al-lowances	28,998	3,162	3,209	3,227
Tourist and Pub-licity	1,111	139	122	147	Pensions and Al-lowances	54,971	6,381	6,373	7,169
Literary and Scien-tific	6,525	713	1,713	738	P.S. Commissioner	724	74	74	96
Treasury	14,413	1,589	1,861	2,338	Royal Mint	14,900	1,600	1,400	1,500
Audit	7,929	820	883	773	Tramways Pur-chase Act	2,700	...	...	2,700
Allowances	4,663	579	61	780	University of W.A.	18,680	2,067	2,067	2,067
Stores	8,800	946	752	1,177	Stipendiary Magis-trates	5,483	616	659	865
Taxation	22,500	2,500	2,500	4,114	Total	2,819,441	311,258	313,398	296,847
Miscellaneous	471,528	33,476	39,475	83,018					
State Accident In-surance Office	...	32	...	Cr. 32					
Group Settlement	...	...	...	3					
Lands and Surveys	36,795	3,807	3,799	3,601					
Immigration	731	82	51	Cr. 72					
Town Planning	672	60	94	83					
Farmers' Debts	1,760	172	167	115					
Medical	34,841	3,604	4,868	5,411					
Health	19,759	2,338	1,970	2,857					
Crown Law, etc.	43,332	7,259	9,211	6,404					
Arbitration Court	2,736	176	247	608					
Licensing	860	210	230	253					
Mines	73,537	8,791	8,569	Cr. 3,473					
Council of Industrial Development	691	68	73	86					
Labour Bureau	1,223	123	107	1,906					
Police	147,827	14,845	14,961	20,273					
Forests	9,241	1,050	1,107	1,437					
Child Welfare and Outdoor Relief	99,641	10,031	10,571	12,393					
Unemployment Relief	280,752	22,952	23,958	30,059					
Public Works and Buildings	14,629	1,194	1,425	1,911					
Labour	2,806	343	314	396					
Chief Secretary	9,359	933	968	1,131					
Aborigines	4,510	1,783	2,016	3,307					
Fisheries	2,605	264	366	385					
Friendly Societies and Registry	6,612	1,489	823	820					
Gaols	17,553	2,160	2,028	2,569					
Harbour, Light and Jetties	12,582	1,274	1,455	2,017					
Lunacy, etc.	68,053	6,827	7,265	8,855					
Observatory	1,037	120	106	263					
Education	401,987	47,188	46,684	57,987					
Agriculture	41,914	4,149	5,027	7,101					
College of Agriculture	5,042	502	430	896					
Total	1,939,335	190,367	201,428	270,088					
					Public Utilities.				
					Aborigines Natives' Stations	2,626	178	640	749
					Goldfields Water Supply	74,719	8,819	8,363	16,338
					Kalgoorlie Abat-toirs	2,064	79	297	445
					Met. Abattoirs and Saleyards	18,836	1,301	3,033	2,348
					Met. Water Sup-ply, etc.	55,533	6,113	5,930	15,783
					Other Hydraulic Undertakings	16,785	2,337	2,308	2,486
					Perth City Mkts.	479	39	46	39
					Railways	1,514,346	168,609	228,745	177,652
					Tramways	166,339	18,006	22,983	14,891
					Electricity Supply	139,254	18,811	16,873	17,058
					State Batteries	60,145	6,629	6,988	6,723
					Cave Houses, etc.	4,364	732	418	503
					State Ferries	...	510	686	808
					Total	2,055,490	232,163	297,310	255,823
					GRAND TOTAL	6,824,249	734,667	813,097	824,221

No. 8.—Net Loan Expenditure on Public Works, etc., from 1872.

(Table constructed on the basis of the figures published by the Treasury under the heading, "Actual Cash Spent.")

Year ended 30th June.	Railways, Tram-ways, and Electric Power Station.	Electric Tele-graphs.	Har-bours, Rivers, Light-houses, etc.	Roads and Bridges.	Public Build-ings.	Water Supply and Sewerage, etc.	Develop-ment of Goldfields and Mineral Resources	Develop-ment of Agricul-ture. a	Immi-gration.	Miscel-laneous. b	Total.
To 1928	£ 23,743,851	£ 332,293	£ 5,125,795	£ 1,275,787	£ 1,418,844	£ 8,399,051	£ 2,290,010	£ 23,298,330	£ 482,930	£ 3,241,638	£ 69,608,529
1929	883,530	...	274,060	384,685	92,353	576,215	79,752	1,835,435	11,887	234,352	4,372,260
1930	893,713	...	263,254	315,325	54,140	338,899	92,219	1,691,013	7,182	37,306	3,693,051
1931	475,234	...	133,706	...	...	239,340	29,077	875,771	1,063	5,072	1,759,263
1932	140,849	...	77,576	...	...	527,876	23,091	602,677	500	2,657	1,380,226
1933	187,086	...	242,918	83,004	34,634	781,541	30,196	745,134	461	113,008	2,217,982
Total	26,324,263	332,293	6,117,309	2,058,801	1,599,971	10,862,922	2,549,345	29,048,360	504,023	3,634,033	83,031,320

(a) Including Agricultural Bank, Land Settlement for Soldiers, and Agricultural Group Settlement. (b) Including the following State Business Undertakings: Steamships, Ferries, Milk Supply, Saw Mills, Brickyards, Imple-ment Works, Hotels, Workers' Homes, Quarries, Fish Supply, Freezing Works, etc.

No. 9.—Summary of State Revenue, 1st July, 1923, to 30th June, 1933.

Period.	Collected by the State.					From Common- wealth Funds.	Total State Revenue.	Mean Popula- tion.	Revenue Per head of Popu- lation.
	Taxation.	Land, Timber, and Mining.	Business Concerns.		Other Sources.				
			Railways and Tramways.	Other.					
1923-24 ...	£ 1,173,568	£ 462,656	£ 3,465,297	£ 1,045,605	£ 1,132,745	£ 585,723	£ 7,865,594	No. 353,651	£ 22·241
1928-29 ...	1,370,039	514,483	4,127,939	1,400,343	1,723,701	811,446	9,947,951	405,781	24·519
1929-30 ...	1,452,793	474,863	3,981,994	1,429,519	1,637,914	773,432	9,750,515	415,900	23·444
1930-31 ...	1,134,388	333,759	3,425,220	1,308,274	1,706,635	773,432	8,686,756	420,012	20·682
1931-32 ...	1,006,915	292,623	3,183,977	1,321,568	1,456,801	773,432	8,035,316	421,513	19·062
1932-32 ...	1,128,515	279,150	3,203,018	1,323,971	1,419,066	973,433	8,332,153	423,678	19·666

No. 10.—Summary of State Expenditure, from 1st July, 1923, to 30th June, 1933.

Period.			Interest and Sink- ing Funds, Public Debt.	Lands, Surveys, Forests, and Mines.	Business Concerns.		Educa- tion.	All other.	Total State Expendi- ture.	Per head of Popu- lation.
					Railways and Tramways.	Other.				
			£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
1923-24	...	...	2,833,977	244,951	2,542,783	499,222	597,547	1,376,273	8,094,753	22·889
1928-29	...	...	3,335,709	269,480	3,357,041	596,995	709,019	1,955,675	10,223,919	25·199
1929-30	...	...	3,445,302	287,258	3,420,843	626,692	723,672	1,764,751	10,268,518	24·690
1930-31	...	...	3,621,602	208,401	2,784,661	563,120	704,202	2,225,309	10,107,295	24·060
1931-32	...	...	3,507,379	187,091	2,344,936	525,147	574,235	2,454,424	9,593,212	22·758
1932-33	...	...	3,504,390	167,078	2,318,520	529,215	578,727	2,098,304	9,196,234	21·706

No. 11.—Public Debt, 1924 to 1933 ; also Indebtedness per head of Estimated Population.

Date.	Amount outstanding.				Average nominal interest payable.	Accrued Sinking Fund on 31st March.	Net Indebtedness (Approximate).		
	Deben- tures.	Inscribed Stock.	Treasury Bills and Bonds, etc.	Total.			Amount.	Per head of Population.	
	£	£	£	£	%	£	£	£	
30th June— 1924	...	2,042,127	44,589,613	16,134,042	62,765,782	4·43	9,373,571	53,392,211	148·167
1929	...	6,374,025	48,755,628	14,225,796	*69,355,449	4·56	†991,276	68,364,173	166·040
1930	...	10,436,081	46,662,767	14,095,477	71,194,325	4·60	†1,040,463	70,153,862	167·574
1931	...	11,916,869	42,643,667	22,004,349	76,564,885	4·55	†1,310,369	75,254,416	178·914
1932	...	11,014,758	56,375,324	12,317,871	79,707,953	4·11	†1,308,906	78,399,047	185·562
1933	...	10,992,154	58,656,125	13,866,419	83,514,698	3·90	1,346,549	82,168,149	193·185

* Reduction of Public Debt is due to cancellation of Western Australian Stocks held by Sinking Fund Trustees in accordance with Financial Agreement Act. † As on 30th June.

No. 12.—Transactions of Commonwealth Savings Bank in Western Australia from 1st July, 1922, (Note.—State Savings Bank taken over by Commonwealth from 1st November, 1931.)

Period.	* Amount deposited during period.	* Amount withdrawn during period.	Excess of Deposits over Withdrawals.	Interest.	Number of Accounts.			Due to Depositors at end of period.	Average to credit of each account.	Average per head of population.
					Opened.	Closed.	Remain- ing open. (Opera- tive.)			
1922-23 ...	£ 2,103,876	£ 1,951,193	£ 152,683	£ 65,138	No. 9,975	No. 5,399	No. 61,837	£ 2,099,187	£ 33·947	£ 6·030
1927-1928 ...	2,947,947	2,793,494	149,453	90,099	13,385	7,610	89,461	2,949,438	32·969	7·379
1928-1929 ...	3,209,745	3,063,634	146,111	107,383	23,479	17,050	95,890	3,214,231	33·520	7·807
1929-1930 ...	3,178,079	3,260,194	†82,115	117,812	15,539	10,028	101,401	3,240,252	31·955	7·740
1930-1931 ...	2,451,230	2,973,161	†521,931	107,556	11,229	11,724	100,906	2,788,373	27·633	6·629
1931-1932 ...	5,916,921	5,961,165	†44,244	274,136	29,220	26,538	206,997	10,217,739	49·362	24·184
Sept. Qr., 1932	1,903,672	2,149,906	†246,234	†21,404	9,772	29,597	187,172	9,962,556	53·227	23·536
Dec. Qr., 1932	1,826,649	1,946,929	†120,280	†9,843	7,581	6,001	188,752	9,829,615	52·077	23·188
Mch. Qr., 1933	1,882,648	1,809,172	73,477	†8,457	9,289	6,001	192,040	9,871,029	51·400	23·207

* Exclusive of transfers from and to other States of the Commonwealth. † Interest on accounts closed during period. ‡ Excess of withdrawals over deposits.

No. 13.—Transactions of the State Savings Bank from 1921.

Period.	Amount deposited.	Amount with-drawn	Interest.	Number of Accounts			Due to Depositors.	Average per Account.	*Average per head of population.
				Opened.	Closed.	Remain-ing open.			
1921-22	£ 5,276,218	£ 5,571,830	£ 186,683	No. 17,836	No. 13,914	No. 141,844	£ 5,736,319	£ 40·441	£ 17·048
1926-27	7,057,817	6,742,398	219,128	25,072	15,506	176,629	6,881,260	38·959	18·119
1927-28	7,972,142	7,491,095	243,803	29,518	17,184	188,963	7,606,115	40·250	19·254
1928-29	8,932,830	8,526,572	290,551	30,741	19,373	200,331	8,302,925	41·446	20·389
1929-30	8,541,414	8,766,702	317,056	28,002	18,731	209,602	8,394,692	40·051	20·276
1930-31	7,184,793	7,904,558	317,402	24,009	20,544	213,067	7,992,329	37·511	19·208
4 months ^a ended 31st October, 1931 ^a	1,948,076	2,773,152	78,779	5,410	8,571	209,906	7,246,032	34·520	17·388

† SCHOOLS SAVINGS BANK.

1921-22	33,598	27,036	1,481	6,859	3,822	38,400	61,133	1·592	**1·214
1926-27	37,455	36,660	2,192	5,622	4,069	48,861	84,269	1·725	**1·581
1927-28	41,447	38,189	2,293	7,247	4,248	51,860	89,820	1·732	**1·698
1928-29	43,093	43,544	2,666	6,161	4,196	53,825	92,035	1·710	**1·727
1929-30	41,045	42,192	2,785	6,831	3,994	56,662	93,673	1·653	**1·711
1930-31	32,875	42,579	2,751	4,801	3,774	57,689	86,720	1·503	**1·527
4 months ended 31st October, 1931 ^a	9,936	13,983	672	1,188	1,436	57,441	83,345	1·451	**1·443

* Including Schools Savings Bank Deposits.
of number of school children on the Roll.† Worked in connection with State Savings Bank
a Subsequently taken over by the Commonwealth Bank.

** Per head

No. 14.—Averages from 1923 of the Weekly Statements of Liabilities and Assets of the Cheque-paying Banks (formerly Banks of Issue) operating in Western Australia.

Weekly average clearance, Perth Banks, during the quarter ended June, 1933, was £1,353,811 as compared with £1,403,438 during June Quarter of 1932.

Period.	No. of Banks.	Liabilities.						
		Notes in Circulation.	Bills in Circulation.	Balances due to other Banks.	Deposits.			Total Average Liabilities.
					Not bearing Interest.	Bearing Interest.	Total.	
1923	11	£ 25,651	£ 200,889	£ 259,443	£ 5,803,305	£ 6,871,113	£ 12,674,418	£ 13,160,401
1928	10	25,240	198,547	1,229,824	6,721,806	7,953,497	14,675,303	16,128,914
1929	10	25,233	229,901	727,880	6,530,912	6,854,845	13,385,757	14,368,771
1930	10	25,200	188,365	1,013,675	5,242,098	6,980,552	12,222,650	13,449,890
1931	10	25,183	152,164	1,711,250	5,274,973	7,747,107	13,022,080	14,910,677
1932	8†	24,917	136,556	1,528,521	5,818,066	8,881,736	14,699,802	16,389,796
1933, First Quarter ...	8	23,905	140,597	1,501,929	6,111,758	9,429,403	15,541,161	17,207,592
1933, Second Quarter ...	8	23,905	136,448	1,423,115	5,790,053	9,748,848	15,538,901	17,122,369

Period.	Assets.								Total Average Assets.
	Coined Gold, Silver, and other Metals.	Gold and Silver in Bullion and Bars.	Government, Municipal, and Public Securities. ^b	Landed Property and Bank Premises.	Australian Notes.*	Notes and Bills of other Banks.	Balances due from other Banks.	Notes and Bills discounted, and other Debts.	
1923	£ 1,481,347	£ 156,631	£ 923,208	£ 322,241	£ 1,768,824	£ 189,666	£ 630,824	£ 11,397,913	£ 16,870,654
1928	1,465,906	119,271	1,124,084	452,077	2,584,306	159,052	126,121	15,754,295	21,785,112
1929	1,081,072	108,217	815,045	525,340	2,021,457	121,387	110,429	19,382,658	24,165,605
1930	429,486	121,483	2,118,978	626,423	2,440,610	91,077	84,302	21,000,396	26,912,760
1931	206,897	164,646	2,180,752	686,933	3,266,683	71,506	110,712	20,466,998	27,155,127
1932	201,763	213,712	2,228,768	727,389	3,267,797	65,080	104,726	19,030,609	25,839,844
1933, 1st Qr.	186,357	178,063	2,255,114	755,525	3,075,886	78,271	31,392	19,040,253	25,600,861
1933, 2nd Qr.	227,667	206,369	3,320,199	760,450	2,923,407	56,494	27,382	19,163,662	26,685,630

* From 1927 including cash with Commonwealth Bank. † The Australian Bank of Commerce, Limited, was amalgamated with the Bank of New South Wales on the 23rd December, 1931, and the Primary Producers' Bank of Australia, Ltd., went into liquidation on the 28th September, 1931. ^b Includes Short Term Loans for the year 1930, £90,077; 1931, £865,154; 1932, £818,256 for the First Quarter, 1933, £667,715, and Second Quarter £578,954.

IV.—SHIPPING.

No. 15.—Number and Net Tonnage of Vessels (including Vessels trading only within the State and Vessels calling at more than one Port) entered and cleared at each Western Australian Port during the Nine months ended 31st March, 1933.

ENTERED.

Ports.	Oversea.				Inter-State.				Local Vessels trading within the State.		Total.	
	Via Ports within the State.		From Ports outside the State.		Via Ports within the State.		From Ports outside the State.					
	No.	Tons.	No.	Tons.	No.	Tons.	No.	Tons.	No.	Tons.	No.	Tons.
Fremantle ...	26	63,798	230	1,269,543	28	113,994	190	1,100,232	57	119,294	531	2,666,861
Albany ...	...	...	11	35,109	...	...	26	117,112	42	97,892	79	250,113
Broome ...	6	9,726	6	9,994	6	13,686	...	...	29	55,438	47	88,844
Bunbury ...	6	19,416	17	56,868	3	5,626	7	21,258	26	34,274	59	137,442
Busselton ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1,924	20	21,320	21	23,244
Carnarvon ...	13	23,914	4	8,911	6	13,686	...	...	54	98,317	77	144,828
Cossack ...	11	18,502	...	...	5	11,405	1	3,171	34	65,538	51	98,616
Derby ...	1	1,218	6	11,214	6	13,686	...	...	17	36,510	30	62,628
Esperance ...	...	...	4	12,716	...	...	...	...	12	7,888	16	20,104
Geraldton ...	17	39,314	21	65,454	6	12,097	...	...	43	85,992	87	202,857
Onslow ...	12	21,104	1	2,706	5	11,405	...	...	47	90,415	65	125,630
Port Hedland ...	12	19,720	...	...	5	11,405	...	...	37	63,150	54	94,275
Wyndham ...	1	1,218	1	5,199	1	2,281	6	16,515	5	11,405	14	36,618

CLEARED.

Ports.	Oversea.				Inter-State.				Local Vessels trading within the State.		Total.	
	Via Ports within the State.		For Ports outside the State.		Via Ports within the State.		For Ports outside the State.					
	No.	Tons.	No.	Tons.	No.	Tons.	No.	Tons.	No.	Tons.	No.	Tons.
Fremantle ...	17	34,149	244	1,305,697	30	105,106	184	1,121,992	50	87,658	525	2,654,602
Albany ...	3	13,148	11	34,981	...	...	18	88,986	44	99,819	76	236,934
Broome ...	4	6,708	7	11,630	7	14,904	3	232	31	56,064	52	89,538
Bunbury ...	6	21,609	24	73,317	7	11,923	6	9,330	18	27,980	61	144,159
Busselton ...	1	3,149	...	...	1	1,924	8	13,331	11	4,840	21	23,244
Carnarvon ...	16	31,443	1	2,706	7	14,904	...	...	53	95,775	77	144,828
Cossack ...	11	18,338	1	3,171	5	11,405	1	2,281	33	63,421	51	98,616
Derby ...	...	...	4	6,708	6	12,623	...	...	20	43,297	30	62,628
Esperance ...	4	12,270	...	...	...	...	...	...	11	4,840	15	7,110
Geraldton ...	37	96,741	5	15,971	6	14,774	4	9,352	33	62,776	85	199,614
Onslow ...	10	16,538	5	13,105	8	16,704	...	...	42	79,238	65	125,630
Port Hedland ...	11	18,338	...	...	7	14,904	...	...	36	61,033	54	94,275
Wyndham ...	...	...	3	15,417	...	...	6	12,623	7	15,967	16	44,007

No. 16.—Number and Net Tonnage of Vessels entered and cleared at Western Australian Ports, from and to Ports outside the State, during the undermentioned Periods.

Year.	Inwards.		Outwards.		Inwards and Outwards.	
	Vessels.	Tons.	Vessels.	Tons.	Vessels.	Tons.
1922-23 ...	708	3,166,116	709	3,087,946	1,417	6,254,062
1927-28 ...	792	3,795,310	812	3,808,078	1,604	7,601,388
1928-29 ...	783	3,638,802	808	3,674,298	1,591	7,363,100
1929-30 ...	798	3,955,070	794	3,632,476	1,592	7,587,505
1930-31 ...	741	3,687,357	742	3,686,229	1,483	7,373,586
1931-32 ...	698	3,555,403	694	3,530,279	1,392	7,085,682
Nine months ended 31st March, 1933 ...	532	2,737,926	535	2,740,830	1,067	5,478,756

V.—CUSTOMS AND EXCISE COLLECTIONS.

No. 17.—Gross Customs, Excise, and other Collections in Western Australia during the undermentioned Periods.

Stations.	Year ended 30th June, 1932.				Year ended 30th June, 1933.			
	Customs.	Excise.	Other.	Total.	Customs.	Excise.	Other.	Total.
	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
Fremantle ...	1,035,294	643,214	112,607	1,791,115	1,192,323	840,595	115,821	2,148,739
Perth ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Albany ...	1,231	3,835	2,536	7,602	1,229	2,884	1,103	5,216
Broome ...	3,823	...	700	4,523	3,532	...	78	4,541
Bunbury ...	924	49	3,587	4,560	1,133	...	1,003	2,696
Busselton ...	29	...	9	38	7	...	2	9
Carnarvon ...	2,904	11	100	3,015	1,569	...	143	1,712
Derby ...	361	...	45	406	73	...	40	113
Esperance ...	...	...	550	550	...	...	8	8
Geraldton ...	9,303	16,275	4,094	29,672	11,381	15,050	4,175	31,206
Onslow ...	1,092	...	51	1,143	788	52	78	918
Port Hedland ...	1,992	40	32	2,064	935	19	63	1,017
Roebourne ...	631	17	104	752	428	50	141	619
Wyndham ...	865	39	199	1,103	1,501	...	198	1,699
Total ...	1,058,449	663,480	124,614	1,846,543	1,214,899	859,250	124,344	2,198,493

VI.—TRADE.

No. 18.—Value of Imports into Western Australia during the undermentioned periods, showing origin, and value per head of mean population.

Country of Origin.	1922-23.	1928-29.	1929-30.	1930-31.	1931-32.	1932-33.
	£	£	£	£	£	£
Great Britain	4,305,108	4,054,350	3,837,275	1,538,761	1,176,321	*
Other States of Commonwealth	6,465,587	9,766,744	9,309,034	6,475,922	7,532,960	8,020,930
New Zealand	37,488	36,089	19,482	7,376	15,252	*
Other British Possessions ...	767,616	1,833,831	1,516,213	1,066,736	652,631	*
Total, British	11,575,799	15,691,014	14,676,004	9,088,795	9,377,164	*
Foreign Countries	2,201,880	4,382,758	4,105,652	1,791,059	1,278,657	*
Grand Total	13,777,679	20,053,772	18,781,656	10,879,854	10,655,821	12,181,694
Value of Imports per head of Mean Population	40.058	49.427	45.159	25.903	25.280	28.752

No. 19.—Value of Exports from Western Australia during the undermentioned periods, showing destination and value per head of mean population.

Exports to.	1922-23.	1928-29.	1929-30.	1930-31.	1931-32.	1932-33.
	£	£	£	£	£	£
Great Britain	4,106,769	4,518,283	8,856,512	8,881,597	9,951,401	*
Other States of Commonwealth	1,126,223	1,205,493	1,106,621	774,811	913,191	957,899
New Zealand	64,370	135,765	109,817	109,004	33,604	*
Other British Possessions ...	3,606,761	4,704,894	3,520,873	2,330,466	689,157	*
Total, British	8,904,123	10,564,435	13,593,823	12,095,878	11,602,353	*
Foreign Countries	1,901,596	5,042,365	3,517,492	4,383,144	4,127,258	*
Ships' Stores	299,501	679,154	658,214	547,632	566,475	561,060
Grand Total	11,105,220	17,185,954	17,769,529	17,026,654	16,296,086	15,536,825
Value of Exports per head of Mean Population	32.288	42.358	42.725	40.538	38.661	36.671

* Not yet available.

No. 20.—Total Value of Imports into, and Exports from, the State of Western Australia, from and to the other States of the Commonwealth during the undermentioned periods.

Origin.	New South Wales.	Victoria.	Queensland.	South Australia.	Tasmania.	Northern Territory.	Total.
IMPORTS—YEAR ENDED 30TH JUNE, 1932.							
Australian	2,578,313	3,599,063	592,456	539,587	174,347	49,194	7,552,960
Oversea	136,926	221,981	3,342	29,679	803	1,167	393,898
Total	2,715,239	3,821,044	595,798	569,266	175,150	50,361	7,926,858
EXPORTS*—YEAR ENDED 30TH JUNE, 1932.							
West Australian	105,202	190,108	19,259	88,617	3,590	3,484	410,260
Other Australian	55,125	165,342	3,875	42,039	1,959	10,129	278,469
Oversea	74,304	95,129	21,586	30,086	1,314	2,043	224,462
Total	234,631	450,579	44,720	160,742	6,863	15,656	913,191
IMPORTS—YEAR ENDED 30TH JUNE, 1933.							
Australian	2,802,779	3,800,158	583,887	639,378	161,107	33,621	8,020,930
Oversea	124,762	194,240	4,873	24,436	217	655	349,183
Total	2,927,541	3,994,398	588,760	663,814	161,324	34,276	8,370,113
EXPORTS*—YEAR ENDED 30TH JUNE, 1933.							
West Australian	116,975	205,653	18,670	166,757	6,014	3,561	517,630
Other Australian	67,030	160,622	9,714	63,395	2,416	8,504	305,681
Oversea	34,756	57,348	16,116	23,791	471	2,106	134,588
Total	218,761	423,623	38,500	253,943	8,901	14,171	957,899

* Exclusive of Ship's Stores.

No. 21.—Value, according to Classes, of Imports into Western Australia for each of the five Years ended 30th June, 1929 to 1933.

Class No.	Name of Class.	1928-29.	1929-30.	1930-31.	1931-32.	1932-33.
		£	£	£	£	£
I.	Foodstuffs of Animal Origin ...	1,574,235	1,416,945	853,666	682,134	569,885
II.	Foodstuffs of Vegetable Origin ...	2,104,115	2,279,521	1,155,524	1,391,247	1,328,335
III.	Spirituous and Alcoholic Liquors ...	292,235	275,932	223,704	284,316	309,661
IV.	Tobacco and Preparations thereof ...	829,600	829,777	683,670	709,758	609,636
V.	Live Animals ...	282,862	248,853	111,868	146,482	187,436
VI.	Animal Substances not Foodstuffs ...	34,388	82,729	12,493	12,136	13,977
VII.	Vegetable Substances and Fibres ...	150,629	139,761	92,586	92,757	91,337
VIII.a	Apparel ...	1,730,574	1,713,015	1,359,855	1,438,806	1,560,193
VIII.b	Textiles ...	1,457,309	1,306,344	681,498	757,906	858,186
VIII.c	Manufactured Fibres ...	820,244	781,095	655,836	477,004	555,946
IX.	Oils, Fats and Waxes ...	1,231,274	1,334,034	791,968	569,378	743,540
X.	Paints and Varnishes ...	107,948	102,196	69,846	79,418	88,316
XI.	Stones and Minerals (including Ores and Concentrates) ...	146,380	137,054	96,696	154,468	126,602
XII.a	Machines and Machinery ...	1,936,071	1,935,362	816,276	657,618	1,003,491
XII.b	Metals and Metal Manufactures ...	3,529,995	2,584,637	890,805	772,187	1,232,240
XIII.a	Rubber and Rubber Manufactures ...	563,008	483,788	228,753	339,393	323,880
XIII.b	Leather and Manufactures of Leather ...	125,895	97,977	69,890	78,623	69,928
XIV.	Wood and Wicker—Raw and Manufactured ...	301,885	253,504	103,636	162,693	198,541
XV.	Earthenware, Cements, China, Glass and Stoneware ...	219,213	217,653	86,898	96,273	141,073
XVI.a	Paper ...	254,077	217,382	182,275	151,059	190,522
XVI.b	Stationery and Paper Manufactures ...	335,698	294,165	225,483	225,353	245,454
XVII.	Jewellery, Timepieces and Fancy Goods ...	211,752	156,706	99,354	111,781	126,886
XVIII.	Optical, Surgical and Scientific Instruments ...	155,417	158,893	86,367	75,638	75,772
XIX.	Drugs, Chemicals and Fertilisers ...	1,012,976	994,715	686,082	644,887	946,313
XX.	Miscellaneous ...	645,992	739,615	614,631	544,098	584,570
XXI.	Gold, Silver and Bronze Specie ...	...	3	194	408	...
	Total, Imports ...	20,053,772	18,781,656	10,879,854	10,655,821	12,181,694

No. 22.—Value of the more important Products of Western Australian Origin exported, including Ships' Stores, and of the total Exports; also the total Production of Coal; during 1923-24 and each of the Five Years ended 30th June, 1929 to 1933.

Articles.	1923-24.	1928-29.	1929-30.	1930-31.	1931-32.	1932-33.
Butter ...	Quantity ... lb. 12,880	79,240	44,016	41,944	1,455,042	2,297,431
	Value ... £ 970	7,004	3,229	2,082	89,199	139,917
Eggs in Shell ...	Quantity ... doz 26,675	112,155	174,870	357,460	746,070	1,537,035
	Value ... £ 1,324	7,507	10,063	16,523	37,026	81,947
Beef ...	Quantity ... lb. 10,646,717	9,313,392	11,381,415	11,315,154	11,289,948	14,406,036
	Value ... £ 135,938	112,765	136,242	122,143	117,649	138,141
Mutton and Lamb ...	Quantity ... lb. 445,926	...	...	854,608	2,113,217	383,855
	Value ... £ 12,825	...	...	17,298	51,315	7,271
Meat in tins ...	Quantity ... lb. ...	419,262	362,657	509,829	270,704	...
	Value ... £ ...	10,344	9,179	11,750	4,959	...
Fruit, fresh ...	Quantity ... Cental 136,877	360,719	113,806	230,662	349,960	255,832
	Value ... £ 188,947	533,354	156,194	302,085	430,738	332,273
Wheat ...	Quantity ... Cental 6,555,226	15,654,659	14,971,143	25,464,117	22,120,610	18,416,836
	Value ... £ 2,542,626	6,692,046	6,129,218	5,288,252	5,323,740	4,661,276
Flour ...	Quantity ... Cental 1,584,343	1,597,294	1,381,387	1,719,329	1,772,629	1,728,671
	Value ... £ 824,743	892,323	770,177	635,518	580,729	554,519
Wool { Greasy ...	Quantity ... lb. 42,358,624	56,202,277	61,777,499	69,397,449	64,591,198	68,191,868
	Value ... £ 4,014,014	3,807,439	2,711,016	2,325,894	2,269,826	2,435,668
Scoured {	Quantity ... lb. 1,516,384	844,657	1,024,994	1,385,684	1,965,598	2,695,264
	Value ... £ 223,138	103,447	68,097	60,644	75,744	117,924
Hides and Skins ...	Value ... £ 520,248	550,324	369,089	269,659	197,559	239,928
Pearls and Shell ...	Value ... £ 337,349	183,785	178,601	174,743	103,884	150,252
Tanning Bark ...	Value ... £ 29,606	35,850	40,628	35,333	42,016	33,352
Sandalwood ...	Value ... £ 348,713	225,208	22,228	43,790	40,546	88,846
Tin, Dressed and Ingot ...	Value ... £ 18,770	14,889	14,612	5,173	3,079	3,407
Timber ...	Value ... £ 1,367,713	960,435	803,154	503,696	361,700	258,510
Gold-Specie ...	Value ... £ 1,921,764	1,233,476	4,635,803	5,782,662	1,248,313	46,272
Gold, Uncolned ...	Value ... £ 404,836	51,933	11,012	5,834	3,673,297	4,694,097
Silver—Bar, Ingot, etc. ...	Value ... £ 11,923	4,911	7,233	3,050	4,041	8,175
All other Articles ...	Value ... £ 1,217,846	1,758,914	1,693,754	1,420,525	1,040,726	1,545,050
Total Exports ...	£ 14,123,289	17,185,954	17,769,529	17,026,654	16,296,086	15,536,825
Colliery Coal ...	Mined ... Tons 422,057	531,267	541,617	472,275	399,030	453,280
	Value ... £ 365,567	415,926	416,350	371,956	281,174	292,285
	Bunkered a ... Tons 33,079	32,941	34,663	16,176	9,763	11,990

No. 23.—Wool Exported from the several Western Australian Ports

YEAR ENDED 30TH JUNE, 1932.

Ports.						Oversea.				Interstate.				Total.			
						Greasy.		Scoured.		Greasy.		Scoured.		Greasy.		Scoured.	
						bales.	lb.	bales.	lb.	bales.	lb.	bales.	lb.	bales.	lb.	bales.	lb.
Fremantle	...	...	...	...	...	177,792	55,889,799	9,949	1,935,512	2,202	914,434	16	3,754	179,994	56,804,233	7,965	1,939,266
Albany	...	...	...	...	...	303	83,059	...	...	...	...	...	...	303	83,059	...	...
Broome	...	...	...	...	...	19	6,427	...	...	...	...	...	...	19	6,427	...	...
Bunbury	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Carnarvon	...	...	...	...	...	6,971	2,503,069	...	...	...	...	...	...	6,971	2,503,069	...	...
Derby	...	...	...	...	...	72	23,171	...	...	...	...	...	...	72	23,171	...	...
Geraldton	...	...	...	...	...	6,240	2,147,056	100	26,332	...	...	...	...	6,240	2,147,056	100	26,332
Onslow	...	...	...	...	...	676	239,179	...	...	...	...	...	...	676	239,179	...	...
Port Hedland	...	...	...	...	...	6,061	2,321,608	...	...	...	...	...	...	6,061	2,321,608	...	...
Roebourne	...	...	...	...	...	1,250	463,396	...	...	...	...	...	...	1,250	463,396	...	...
Total						199,384	63,676,764	8,049	1,961,844	2,202	914,434	16	3,754	201,586	64,591,198	8,065	1,965,598
						2,256,688		75,620		13,138		124		2,269,826		75,744	

YEAR ENDED 30TH JUNE, 1933.

						bales.	lb.	bales.	lb.	bales.	lb.	bales.	lb.	bales.	lb.	bales.	lb.
Fremantle	...	...	...	...	...	187,814	58,569,549	11,100	2,604,817	3,290	1,158,204	331	90,447	191,104	59,727,753	11,431	2,695,264
Albany	...	...	...	...	...	163	44,538	...	...	...	...	...	...	163	44,538	...	...
Broome	...	...	...	...	...	20	6,378	...	...	...	...	...	...	20	6,378	...	...
Bunbury	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Carnarvon	...	...	...	...	...	8,488	3,104,787	...	...	...	...	...	...	8,488	3,104,787	...	...
Derby	...	...	...	...	...	424	142,395	...	...	...	...	...	...	424	142,395	...	...
Geraldton	...	...	...	...	...	4,914	1,644,044	...	...	...	...	...	...	4,914	1,644,044	...	...
Onslow	...	...	...	...	...	291	108,926	...	...	...	...	...	...	291	108,926	...	...
Port Hedland	...	...	...	...	...	7,473	2,816,744	...	...	...	...	...	...	7,473	2,816,744	...	...
Roebourne	...	...	...	...	...	1,614	596,303	...	...	...	...	...	...	1,614	596,303	...	...
Total						210,731	66,868,348	11,100	2,604,817	3,290	1,158,204	331	90,447	214,491	68,191,868	11,431	2,695,264
						2,403,630		114,661		32,038		3,263		2,435,668		117,924	

No. 24.—Principal Exports,* Oversea and Interstate, during the Twelve months ended
30th June, 1933.

A.—VALUES.

Article.	Oversea.	Interstate.	Total.
CLASS I.—FOODSTUFFS OF ANIMAL ORIGIN, EXCLUDING LIVING ANIMALS.			
Butter	£ 139,869	£ 93	£ 139,962
Eggs in Shell	81,946	1	81,947
Meats, Poultry and Game—			
Beef	138,141	...	138,141
Lamb and Mutton	7,271	...	7,271
Pork	17,547	784	18,331
Other Animal Foodstuffs	17,163	10,562	27,725
TOTAL, CLASS I.	401,937	11,440	413,377
CLASS II.—FOODSTUFFS OF VEGETABLE ORIGIN, NON-ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES, ETC.			
Confectionery	174	17,984	18,158
Fruits, Dried—Currants	56,856	307	57,163
Raisins	841	3,060	3,901
Fruits, Fresh—Apples	245,998	426	246,424
Other	63,815	19,232	83,047
Grain and Pulse, Unprepared—Wheat	4,661,053	223	4,661,276
Grain and Pulse, Prepared—Flour (Wheaten)	551,727	634	552,361
Other Foodstuffs of Vegetable Origin, etc.	43,256	50,279	93,535
TOTAL, CLASS II.	5,628,720	92,145	5,720,865
CLASS III.—SPIRITUOUS AND ALCOHOLIC LIQUORS.			
Wine	3,012	1,442	4,454
Other	296	534	830
TOTAL, CLASS III.	3,308	1,976	5,284
CLASS IV.—TOBACCO AND PREPARATIONS THEREOF ...			
...	...	60,556	60,556
CLASS V.—LIVE ANIMALS.			
Cattle	680	...	680
Horses	468	5,665	6,133
Sheep	17,574	528	18,102
Other Animals	650	966	1,616
TOTAL, CLASS V.	19,372	7,159	26,531
CLASS VI.—ANIMAL SUBSTANCES NOT FOODSTUFFS.			
Hides and Skins—Cattle (including Calf)	23,733	9,354	33,087
Furred Skins	18,610	21,845	40,455
Sheep Skins	161,507	4,252	165,759
Pearl-shell	147,025	...	147,025
Wool, Greasy	2,403,630	32,038	2,435,668
Wool, Scoured	114,661	3,263	117,924
Other Animal Substances	2,531	1,530	4,061
TOTAL, CLASS VI.	2,871,697	72,282	2,943,979
CLASS VII.—VEGETABLE SUBSTANCES AND FIBRES.			
Bark, Tanning	18,103	15,249	33,352
Sandalwood	88,846	...	88,846
Other Vegetable Substances	996	1,980	2,976
TOTAL, CLASS VII.	107,945	17,229	125,174
CLASS VIII.—(a) APPAREL, (b) TEXTILES, AND (c) MANUFACTURED FIBRES.			
(a) Apparel—Apparel and Attire	79	69,551	69,630
Boots, Shoes, and Slippers	25	18,555	18,580
TOTAL, CLASS VIII. (a)	104	88,106	88,210
l) Textiles—Piece Goods, Woollen ... ..	...	22,492	22,492
Other Textiles	100	8,122	8,222
TOTAL, CLASS VIII. (b)	100	30,614	30,714
(c) Manufactured Fibres ... ..	...	3,383	3,383
CLASS IX.—OILS, FATS, AND WAXES.			
Tallow	12,336	5,290	17,626
Other Oils, Fats, and Waxes	309	3,067	3,376
TOTAL, CLASS IX.	12,645	8,357	21,002
CLASS X.—PAINTS AND VARNISHES			
...	4	858	862

* Exclusive of Ships' Stores.

No. 24.—Principal Exports,* Oversea and Interstate, during the Twelve months ended 30th June, 1933—continued.

A—VALUES—continued.

Articles.	Oversea.	Interstate.	Total.
CLASS XI.—STONES AND MINERALS, INCLUDING ORES AND CONCENTRATES.			
Concentrates—Silver and Silver Lead	£ 32	£ ...	£ 32
Tin ... ..	...	522	522
Ores—Gold Ore, Quartz and Concentrates	1,250	4,773	6,023
Manganese ... ..	...	...	...
Silver and Silver Lead ... ..	...	...	...
Tin ... ..	...	2,885	2,885
All other Ores, Clays, and Mineral Earths	9,847	1,861	11,708
TOTAL, CLASS XI.	11,129	10,041	21,170
CLASS XII.—METALS, METAL MANUFACTURES, AND MACHINERY.			
(a) Machines and Machinery—			
Agricultural Implements and Machinery ... ..	...	27,876	27,876
Other	2,846	52,527	55,373
TOTAL, CLASS XII. (a)	2,846	80,403	83,249
(b) Metals and Metal Manufactures—			
Motor Cars and Parts	1,904	41,325	43,229
Other Metals and Manufactures	11,767	64,770	76,537
TOTAL, CLASS XII. (b)	13,671	106,095	119,766
CLASS XIII.—RUBBER AND LEATHER AND MANUFACTURES THEREOF.			
(a) Rubber and Manufactures thereof	32	6,307	6,339
(b) Leather and Manufactures thereof—			
Leather	2,786	16,275	19,061
Leather Manufactures	28	1,526	1,554
TOTAL, CLASS XIII. (b)	2,814	17,801	20,615
CLASS XIV.—WOOD AND WICKER, RAW AND MANUFACTURED.			
Timber	155,463	107,154	262,617
Other Wood, Wickerware, etc.	117	80,215	80,332
TOTAL, CLASS XIV.	155,580	187,369	342,949
CLASS XV.—EARTHENWARE, CEMENTS, CHINA, GLASS AND STONEWARE.			
China and Earthenware	7	1,155	1,162
Glassware, Cements, etc.	349	4,985	5,334
TOTAL, CLASS XV.	356	6,140	6,496
CLASS XVI.—PAPER AND STATIONERY			
(a) Paper	1,166	13,527	14,693
(b) Stationery and Paper Manufactures	492	6,995	7,487
CLASS XVII.—JEWELLERY, TIMEPIECES, AND FANCY GOODS.			
Fancy Goods	28	6,131	6,159
Jewellery, including Pearls	3,264	4,530	7,794
Other	60	249	309
TOTAL, CLASS XVII.	3,352	10,910	14,262
CLASS XVIII.—OPTICAL, SURGICAL, AND SCIENTIFIC INSTRUMENTS			
... ..	131	7,792	7,923
CLASS XIX.—DRUGS, CHEMICALS, AND FERTILISERS.			
Oils, Essential	21,382	4,949	26,331
Other Drugs, Chemicals, etc.	7,737	39,200	46,937
TOTAL, CLASS XIX.	29,119	44,149	73,268
CLASS XX.—MISCELLANEOUS			
... ..	5,877	66,265	72,142
CLASS XXI.—GOLD AND SILVER, AND BRONZE SPECIE.			
Gold—Specie	46,272	...	46,272
Bar, Dust, Ingot, Sheet	4,688,074	...	4,688,074
Silver—Specie	1,400	...	1,400
Bar, Ingot, and Sheet	8,175	...	8,175
Bronze—Specie	1,548	...	1,548
TOTAL, CLASS XXI.	4,745,469	...	4,745,469
GRAND TOTAL, EXPORTS †	14,017,866	957,899	14,975,765

* Exclusive of Ships' Stores.

† For quantities of principal Commodities, see Table No. 24 (B), next page.

No. 24.—Principal Exports,* Oversea and Interstate, during the Twelve months ended 30th June, 1933—continued.

B.—QUANTITIES.

Article.		Oversea.	Interstate.	Total.
Butter	lb.	2,296,695	1,384	2,298,079
Eggs in Shell	doz.	1,537,020	15	1,537,035
Beef	lb.	14,406,036	...	14,406,036
Lamb and Mutton ... ..	...	383,855	...	383,855
Pork ... ..	...	913,496	35,171	948,667
Currants ... ..	...	2,465,526	13,160	2,478,686
Raisins (all kinds) ... ..	...	48,048	165,845	213,893
Apples ... ..	...	200,498	329	200,827
Wheat	cental	18,416,091	741	18,416,832
Flour ... ..	...	1,721,658	1,438	1,723,096
Potatoes ... ..	...	2,013	7,571	9,584
Sheep Skins	cwt.	1,073,713	39,470	1,113,183
Wool, Greasy	No.	67,033,604	1,158,204	68,191,868
Wool, Scoured	lb.	2,604,817	90,447	2,695,264
Bark, Tanning	cwt.	40,777	28,460	69,237
Sandalwood ... ..	...	61,358	...	61,358
Pearlshell ... ..	...	20,653	...	20,653
Tallow ... ..	...	11,454	4,903	16,357
Timber	sup. ft.	15,846,666	10,979,796	26,826,462

* Exclusive of Ships' Stores.

No. 25.—Exports, being Ships' Stores, during the Year ended 30th June, 1933.

Articles.	OVERSEA.				INTERSTATE.				Total.	
	Quantity.		Value.		Quantity.		Value.		Quantity.	Value.
	Aus-tralian Pro-duce.	Over-sea Pro-duce.	Aus-tralian Pro-duce.	Over-sea Pro-duce.	Aus-tralian Pro-duce.	Over-sea Pro-duce.	Aus-tralian Pro-duce.	Over-sea Pro-duce.		
Ale, Beer, Porter, etc. ... gal.	4,144	12	£ 1,462	£ 17	6	...	£ 2	£ ...	4,162	£ 1,481
Apparel ... ..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Biscuits	2,406	...	84	...	2,016	...	96	...	4,422	180
Brushware ... ..	...	...	6	...	...	...	...	...	...	6
Butter	21,836	...	1,401	...	1,862	...	117	...	23,698	1,518
Cheese	2,999	...	129	...	762	...	30	...	3,761	159
Coal (Bunker)	18,791	...	32,195	...	754	...	1,729	...	19,545	33,924
Coffee, Cocoa, Chocolate lb.	36	2,020	5	141	77	...	5	...	2,133	151
Cordage and Twine ... ..	...	...	122	...	...	...	...	...	...	122
Fish—Fresh	100,229	...	2,992	...	3,769	...	136	...	103,998	3,128
Fish—Preserved	1,248	3,617	67	195	168	217	4	10	5,250	276
Fruits—Preserved	1,533	98	64	5	70	...	3	...	1,701	72
Fruits—Fresh	1,895	...	2,664	...	107	...	138	...	2,002	2,802
Fruits and Vegetables (in liquid, etc.) ... ..	...	...	169	28	...	...	...	...	...	197
Vegetables, Dried or Concentrated ... ..	...	...	2	...	...	...	5	...	...	7
Vegetables, Fresh ... ..	...	...	6,765	...	...	...	705	...	...	7,470
Grain and Pulse—										
Beans and Peas ... cntl.	6	2	6	4	...	...	...	...	8	10
Oats ... ..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Wheat ... ..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Barley, Pearl & Scotch lb.	96	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	96	1
Bran, etc. ... ..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Flour, Wheaten	5,571	...	2,156	...	4	...	2	...	5,575	2,158
Rice	49	7	61	5	...	...	...	...	56	66
Hay and Chaff	75	...	22	...	...	...	...	...	75	22
Jams and Jellies ... lb	5,037	...	177	...	576	...	16	...	5,613	193
Meats—										
Bacon and Hams, etc. "	13,153	...	551	...	5,322	...	194	...	18,475	745
Fresh and Smoked ... "	186,830	...	5,138	...	44,445	...	870	...	231,275	6,008
Frozen (other than Rabbits and Hares) ...	391,740	...	8,781	...	...	...	...	...	391,740	8,781
Rabbits and Hares ... pairs	184	...	18	...	30	...	3	...	214	21
Potted and Concentrated ... ..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Preserved in tins ... lb.	1,134	28	55	3	...	...	...	...	1,162	58
Other (Including Salted) cwt.	6	...	18	...	...	...	...	...	6	18
Milk (Preserved) ... lb.	32,571	...	924	...	816	...	28	...	33,387	952
Oils	26,043,002	...	441,895	...	2,157,794	...	32,658	...	28,200,796	474,553
Onions	212	16	221	29	8	...	7	...	236	257
Paints and Colours ... "	3	1	12	3	3	...	6	...	7	21
Potatoes	7,312	...	2,394	...	106	...	35	...	7,418	2,429
Salt	47	...	24	...	...	...	...	...	47	24
Soap	2,463	...	53	...	...	...	...	...	2,463	53
Spirits	36	141	71	304	...	1	...	1	178	376
Sugar	289	...	234	...	8	...	14	...	297	248
Tea ... ..	...	2,506	...	210	100	...	7	...	2,606	217
Tobacco	475	120	188	26	...	...	...	...	595	214
Cigars ... ..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Cigarettes	321	...	217	...	...	...	...	...	321	217
Wine—Sparkling ... gal.	3	...	5	...	...	...	...	...	3	5
Wine—Still	2,154	...	404	...	...	...	...	...	2,154	404
All other Articles ... ..	...	...	7,913	2,746	...	...	853	4	...	11,516
Total ... ..	...	...	77,771	445,611	...	...	5,00	32,673	...	561,060
			523,382				37,678			

No. 26.—Principal Imports, Oversea and Interstate, during the Twelve months ended
30th June, 1933.

A.—VALUES.

Articles.	Oversen.	Interstate.		Total.
		Australian Origin.	Oversea Origin.	
	£	£	£	£
CLASS I.—FOODSTUFFS OF ANIMAL ORIGIN, EXCLUDING LIVING ANIMALS.				
Butter ... ..	...	208,790	...	208,790
Cheese	206	88,002	156	88,364
Eggs in Shell	1	6,377	...	6,378
Liquid Form ... ..	...	3,647	...	3,647
Fish—				
Preserved in Tins, etc.	34,197	741	5,234	40,172
Other	13,424	3,705	40	17,169
Meats, Poultry and Game—				
Bacon and Hams	2	45,846	...	45,848
Potted and Concentrated	3,599	14,370	108	18,077
Preserved in Tins	229	16,820	...	17,049
Milk and Cream—				
Dried or in Powdered Form	134	36,180	8	36,322
Condensed ... ..	...	46,065	...	46,065
Other Animal Foodstuffs	3,666	37,297	1,041	42,004
TOTAL, CLASS I.	55,458	507,840	6,587	569,885
CLASS II.—FOODSTUFFS OF VEGETABLE ORIGIN, NON-ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES, ETC.				
Biscuits	362	7,139	...	7,501
Confectionery	4,157	173,223	156	177,536
Cocoa—Beans and Shells, Raw	5,427	...	252	5,679
Coffee—Raw and Kiln Dried	5,452	...	1,517	6,969
Roasted, Ground, and in Liquid	87	9,743	...	9,830
Fruits, Dried	2,583	24,071	159	26,813
Fresh—Bananas	8,336	1,896	...	10,232
" Other	10	2,042	...	2,052
Preserved in Liquid	88	36,981	...	37,069
Grain and Pulse, Unprepared	1,473	14,145	162	15,780
" Prepared—				
Malt ... ..	...	20,844	...	20,844
Oatmeal, Wheatmeal, etc. ... ..	...	17,851	...	17,851
Rice	415	22,804	94	23,313
Jams and Jellies	2	113,011	...	113,013
Pickles and Sauces	299	34,958	68	35,325
Sugar, Raw ... ..	...	483,630	...	483,630
Refined ... ..	...	30,215	...	30,215
Tea in Packets	283	24,947	380	25,610
Bulk	105,063	996	1,274	107,333
Other Foodstuffs of Vegetable Origin	28,533	135,963	7,244	171,740
TOTAL, CLASS II.	162,570	1,154,459	11,306	1,328,335
CLASS III.—SPIRITUOUS AND ALCOHOLIC LIQUORS.				
Ale and Beer in Bottle	2,245	65,107	...	67,352
" " in Bulk ... ..	...	92,145	...	92,145
Cider and Perry	92	315	...	407
Spirit (Beverages)	31,487	37,582	16,107	85,176
Wine	1,098	63,453	30	64,581
TOTAL, CLASS III.	34,922	258,602	16,137	309,661
CLASS IV.—TOBACCO AND PREPARATIONS THEREOF.				
Tobacco—Manufactured	8	344,027	...	344,035
Unmanufactured	7,620	1,735	...	9,355
Cigars	218	12,437	81	12,736
Cigarettes	54	243,095	319	243,468
Other Preparations	42	...	...	42
TOTAL CLASS IV.	7,942	601,294	400	609,636
CLASS V.—LIVE ANIMALS.				
Cattle	173	63,981	...	64,154
Horses	1,214	79,171	1,810	82,195
Sheep ... ..	...	38,996	732	39,728
Other	96	1,263	...	1,359
TOTAL, CLASS V.	1,483	183,411	2,542	187,436
CLASS VI.—ANIMAL SUBSTANCES NOT FOODSTUFFS				
	4,971	8,983	23	13,977

No. 26.—Principal Imports, Oversea and Interstate, during the Twelve months ended
30th June, 1933—continued.

A.—VALUES—continued.

Articles.	Oversea.	Interstate.		Total.
		Australian Origin.	Oversea Origin.	
CLASS VII.—VEGETABLE SUBSTANCES AND FIBRES.	£	£	£	£
Hemp	12,862	...	...	12,862
Kapok	8,828	...	...	8,828
Starch ... ..	...	9,281	...	9,281
Other Vegetable Substances	24,080	33,216	3,070	60,366
TOTAL, CLASS VII.	45,770	42,497	3,070	91,337
CLASS VIII.—(a) APPAREL, (b) TEXTILES, (c) MANUFACTURED FIBRES.				
(a) Apparel—Boots and Shoes	1,635	354,267	...	355,902
Hats and Caps	1,628	105,794	208	107,630
Other Wearing Apparel	25,607	1,064,515	6,539	1,096,661
TOTAL, CLASS VIII. (a)	28,870	1,524,576	6,747	1,560,193
(b) Textiles ... TOTAL, CLASS VIII. (b)	555,115	267,978	35,067	858,160
(c) Manufactured Fibres—Bags and Sacks	465,942	2,681	1,604	470,227
Other Manufactured Fibres	5,014	80,530	175	85,719
TOTAL, CLASS VIII. (c)	470,956	83,211	1,779	555,946
CLASS IX.—OILS, FATS AND WAXES.				
Lard and Edible Fats, N.E.I. ... ..	...	17,759	2	17,761
Oils in Bulk—Kerosene and the like	79,662	17	15	79,694
Lubricating (Mineral)	83,032	3,202	15,522	101,756
Residual	181,467	...	...	181,467
Petroleum, Spirit, Petrol, etc.	302,434	475	37	302,946
Other Oils, Fats and Waxes	20,124	35,896	3,896	59,916
TOTAL, CLASS IX.	666,719	57,349	19,472	743,540
CLASS X.—PAINTS AND VARNISHES	3,347	84,592	377	88,316
CLASS XI.—STONES AND MINERALS, INCLUDING ORES AND CONCENTRATES.				
Asphalt, Bitumen, and Natural Pitch	16,933	47	851	17,831
Coal	18	81,945	...	81,963
Other Stones and Minerals	18,135	8,448	225	26,808
TOTAL, CLASS XI.	35,086	90,440	1,076	126,602
CLASS XII.—METALS, METAL MANUFACTURES AND MACHINERY.				
(a) Machines and Machinery— Agricultural Implements and Machinery	10,097	235,879	2,705	248,681
Other	264,067	426,394	64,349	754,810
TOTAL, CLASS XII. (a)	274,164	662,273	67,054	1,003,491
(b) Metals and Metal Manufactures— Iron and Steel:				
Bar, Rod, etc.	13,287	49,927	498	63,712
Plate and Sheet, Galvanised ... ..	...	124,783	475	125,258
" " Black	11,135	13,694	112	25,141
" " Tinned	25,762	...	270	26,032
Structural ... ..	...	3,989	...	3,989
Wire, Barbed ... ..	...	4,621	...	4,621
" Fencing	57	42,542	...	42,599
Netting, Wire ... ..	...	25,598	...	25,598
Vehicles—				
Motor Cars	69,579	44,675	60,695	174,949
Other Vehicles	50,045	77,051	12,629	139,725
Other Metals and Manufactures	171,521	417,251	11,844	600,616
TOTAL, CLASS XII. (b)	341,586	804,131	86,523	1,232,240

No. 26.—Principal Imports, Oversea and Interstate, during the Twelve months ended
30th June, 1933—continued.

A.—VALUES—continued.

Articles.	Oversea.	Interstate.		Total.
		Australian Origin.	Oversea Origin.	
	£	£	£	£
CLASS XIII.—RUBBER AND LEATHER AND MANUFACTURES THEREOF.				
(a) Rubber and Rubber Manufactures—				
Tyres, Pneumatic:				
Covers	251	200,861	...	201,112
Tubes	121	18,191	...	18,312
Tyres not Pneumatic ... ..	...	1,984	...	1,984
Other	6,428	95,821	223	102,472
TOTAL, CLASS XIII. (a)	6,800	316,857	223	323,880
(b) Leather and Manufactures of Leather—				
Leather	168	43,595	...	43,763
Manufactures of Leather	1,506	24,575	84	26,165
TOTAL, CLASS XIII. (b)	1,674	68,170	84	69,928
CLASS XIV.—WOOD AND WICKER, RAW AND MANUFACTURED.				
Furniture	1,518	24,820	529	26,867
Timber	27,109	34,779	4,784	66,672
Manufactures of Wood	15,847	88,367	788	105,002
TOTAL, CLASS XIV.	44,474	147,966	6,101	198,541
CLASS XV.—EARTHENWARE, CEMENT, CHINA, GLASS AND STONEWARE.				
Crockery, Household	23,632	14,296	8,653	46,581
Glass and Glassware	16,142	60,468	2,022	78,632
Other	8,979	6,798	83	15,860
TOTAL, CLASS XV.	48,753	81,562	10,758	141,073
CLASS XVI.—PAPER AND STATIONERY.				
a) Paper	131,617	54,188	4,717	190,522
(b) Stationery and Manufactures of Paper	63,757	175,149	6,548	245,454
CLASS XVII.—JEWELLERY, TIMEPIECES AND FANCY GOODS				
... ..	29,371	87,428	10,087	126,886
CLASS XVIII.—OPTICAL, SURGICAL AND SCIENTIFIC INSTRUMENTS.				
Instruments, Parts and Accessories	10,596	24,058	26,631	61,285
Talking Machines, Records, etc.	853	13,406	228	14,487
TOTAL, CLASS XVIII.	11,449	37,464	26,859	75,772
CLASS XIX.—DRUGS, CHEMICALS AND FERTILISERS.				
Cream of Tartar	466	22,550	...	23,016
Cyanides of Potassium and Sodium	45,486	...	...	45,486
Drugs and Medicinal Preparations	11,128	123,538	4,761	139,427
Fertilisers—				
Ammonium Sulphate	17,314	...	10	17,324
Rock Phosphates	181,884	...	...	181,884
Other Fertilisers	22,823	16,210	254	39,287
Perfumery and Toilet Preparations	3,424	87,844	6,146	97,414
Sulphur (Brimstone)	219,146	325	51	219,522
Other Drugs and Chemicals	66,325	111,094	5,534	182,953
TOTAL, CLASS XIX.	567,996	361,561	16,756	946,313
CLASS XX.—MISCELLANEOUS.				
Arms, Ammunition, and Explosives	61,074	94,694	1,696	157,464
Brushware	1,446	17,180	109	18,735
Matches and Vestas	1	15,361	...	15,362
Pianos	663	2,194	395	3,252
Player Pianos ... ..	...	25	...	25
All other Articles, N.E.I.	153,547	229,495	6,690	389,732
TOTAL, CLASS XX.	216,731	358,949	8,890	584,570
CLASS XXI.—GOLD, SILVER, AND BRONZE SPECIE				
...
TOTAL, IMPORTS *	3,811,581	8,020,930	340,183	12,181,694
		8,370,113		

* For quantities of principal Commodities, see Table No. 26 (B), next page.

No. 26.—Principal Imports, Oversea and Interstate, during the Twelve months ended 30th June, 1933.—continued.

B.—QUANTITIES.

Articles,	Oversea.	Interstate.		Total.
		Australian Origin.	Oversea Origin.	
Butter lb.	...	3,666,315	...	3,666,315
Eggs in Shell doz.	28	98,257	...	98,285
Bacon and Hams lb.	13	1,085,898	...	1,085,911
Meats Preserved in tins "	4,414	542,947	...	547,361
Milk, Dried "	989	838,189	30	839,208
" Condensed "	...	1,221,144	...	1,221,144
Biscuits "	6,422	142,757	...	149,179
Confectionery "	64,883	2,474,612	2,547	2,542,042
Cocoa Beans and Shells, Raw "	405,966	...	11,656	417,622
Fruits Dried "	506,649	768,141	6,526	1,281,316
Jams and Jellies "	130	4,451,910	...	4,452,040
Sugar, Raw cwt.	...	327,882	...	327,882
" Refined "	...	16,134	...	16,134
Tea in Packets lb.	6,024	279,806	4,704	290,534
" Bulk "	3,678,837	10,640	15,679	3,705,156
Ale and Beer in Bottle gal.	5,465	211,604	...	217,069
" Bulk "	...	487,865	...	487,865
Spirits, Beverages "	28,459	47,446	10,297	86,202
Tobacco, Manufactured lb.	29	979,410	...	979,439
" Unmanufactured "	125,209	18,328	...	143,537
Cigars "	117	11,298	80	11,495
Cigarettes "	76	335,161	227	335,464
Oils—Kerosene gal.	4,975,538	80	142	4,975,760
" Lubricating (Mineral) "	1,198,452	23,968	100,331	1,322,751
" Residual "	33,182,897	...	...	33,182,897
Petroleum Spirit, Petrol, etc. "	15,554,407	4,053	296	15,558,756
Asphalt, Bitumen and Natural Pitch ... cwt.	79,875	50	1,541	81,466
Coal ton	14	62,017	...	62,031
Wire, Barbed cwt.	...	3,815	...	3,815
" Fencing "	31	42,229	...	42,260
Timber sup. ft.	4,817,709	1,261,993	91,777	6,170,479
Rock Phosphates cwt.	3,177,754	...	...	3,177,754
Sulphur "	759,228	422	40	759,690

No. 27.—Value of Imports and Exports, Oversea and Interstate, at the Several Ports of Western Australia during the undermentioned periods.

Ports, etc.	Year ended 30th June, 1932.		Year ended 30th June, 1933.					
	Value of Trade.		Value of Imports.			Value of Exports.*		
	Imports.	Exports.*	Oversea.	Interstate.	Total.	Oversea.	Interstate.	Total.
Fremantle }	£ 9,580,210	£ 13,372,930	£ 3,601,406	£ 7,589,095	£ 11,190,501	£ 12,123,211	£ 864,893	£ 12,988,104
Perth }								
Albany }	158,018	431,049	4,634	134,877	139,511	208,302	24,528	232,830
Broome }	10,578	88,775	8,447	4,362	12,809	108,679	428	109,107
Bunbury }	56,613	963,452	60,318	21,299	81,617	676,929	72,786	749,715
Busselton }		14,458	...	...	...	5,805	24,811	30,616
Carnarvon }	8,453	72,090	5,426	4,520	9,946	99,026	...	99,026
Derby }	1,135	2,676	537	216	753	6,384	...	6,384
Esperance }	88	82,448	...	313	313	60,302	...	60,302
Geraldton }	99,225	985,219	115,408	32,928	148,426	959,453	...	959,543
Hopetoun ... .. }	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Onslow }	2,018	23,603	3,428	...	3,428	17,047	...	17,047
Port Hedland }	3,422	65,793	4,306	...	4,306	77,339	...	77,339
Roebourne }	1,740	16,245	1,103	535	1,638	21,527	79	21,606
Wyndham }	54,614	164,263	6,478	37,016	43,494	171,545	189	171,734
Overland by Rail }	679,707	13,085	...	544,952	544,952	...	7,863	7,863
Total }	10,655,821	16,296,086	3,811,581	8,370,113	12,181,694	14,541,248	995,577	15,536,825

* Including Ships' Stores

VII.—LAND SETTLEMENT.

No. 28.—Land Settlement as on the 30th June, 1933.

Particulars.	Area.	Area.
I.—ABSOLUTELY ALIENATED:—	acres.	acres.
Area sold by public auction or other forms of direct sale or otherwise alienated up to 30th June, 1933	...	15,963,264
II.—IN PROCESS OF ALIENATION ON THE 30TH JUNE, 1933:—		
Midland Railway Concessions in process of alienation	54,800	
Free Homestead Farms	789,702	
Conditional Purchases	6,081,086	
Selections from late W.A. Land Company	5,297	
Selections under the Agricultural Lands Purchase Act	475,082	
Special Occupation Leases and Licenses	300	
Homestead or Grazing Leases	12,154,187	
Poison Land Leases and Licenses	23,138	
Village Allotments	46	
		19,583,638
Total area alienated or in process of alienation on the 30th June, 1933	...	35,546,902
III.—LEASES OR LICENSES IN FORCE ON 30TH JUNE, 1933:—		
Issued by Lands Department—		
Pastoral Leases	196,042,113	
Special Leases	20,964	
Leases of Reserves	948,483	
Residential Lots	4,896	
Issued by Mines Department—		
Gold Mining Leases†	10,204	
Mineral Leases†	45,168	
Miners' Homestead Leases	31,370	
Issued by Forestry Department—		
Timber Permits a	1,222,102	
		198,325,300
IV.—AREA NEITHER ALIENATED, IN PROCESS OF ALIENATION, NOR LEASED	...	390,716,598
Total Area of Western Australia	...	624,588,800

† Inclusive of 82 acres on "Private Property."

‡ Inclusive of 100 acres on "Private Property."

a Including 40,361 acres of Firewood Permits, but exclusive of Miscellaneous Permits for Forest Produce.

No. 29.—Principal Crown Lands Transactions.—Area of Crown Lands for which Applications have been approved by the Lands Department from 1923.

Period.	Conditional Alienation.						Leases and Licenses.			
	Condi- tional Pur- chases.	Free Home- stead Farms.	Grazing Leases.	Selec- tions, Land Purchase Act.	Town Lots.	Total.	Pastoral Leases and Licenses.	Special Leases.	Miscel- laneous Leases.	Total.
1923	acres. 761,948	acres. 107,222	acres. 943,917	acres. 47,813	acres. 1,869	acres. 1,862,769	acres. 18,212,839	acres. 18,299	acres. ...	acres. 18,231,138
1928	609,064	71,895	1,871,701	61,367	1,566	2,615,593	12,563,081	10,773	...	12,573,854
1929	203,200	55,254	1,567,115	8,512	1,477	1,835,558	13,879,705	21,580	79,592	13,980,827
1930	177,971	166,426	1,044,702	4,367	754	1,394,220	4,215,731	2,167	202,940	4,420,838
1931	65,219	235,691	390,848	8,987	1,536	702,281	2,974,058	23,452	17,323	3,014,833
1932	109,085	31,948	357,417	5,646	1,182	505,278	3,586,817	3,534	52,889	3,643,240
1933—3 months ending March	28,349	4,683	73,148	192	214	106,586	451,991	238	33,678	485,907
April	2,442	679	11,710	...	33	14,864	268,792	...	1,408	270,200
May	10,818	1,457	28,811	554	97	41,737	101,819	100	34	101,953
June	6,757	2,077	19,188	1,021	61	29,104	301,185	9	...	301,194

VIII.—PRODUCTION.

No. 30.—Estimated value of Western Australian Production, 1922 to 1932.

Year.	Agricultural.	Pastoral.	Dairy, Poultry, and Bee-Farming.	Forestry and Fisheries.	Mining.	Manufac- turing. (Added Value.)	Total.
	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
1922*	6,495,948	5,292,235	1,174,851	2,119,968	2,801,626	4,103,526	21,988,154
1923*	7,537,964	6,513,581	1,241,422	2,256,237	2,657,950	4,720,637	24,927,791
1924*	11,183,727	6,709,662	1,362,914	2,582,101	2,581,162	5,254,907	29,674,473
1925-26 a	9,754,956	5,768,524	1,253,464	†2,034,000	2,505,170	†9,611,113	30,927,227
1926-27	12,093,686	5,631,168	1,251,495	1,636,426	2,466,581	6,907,023	29,986,379
1927-28	13,034,025	7,343,577	1,343,673	1,358,915	2,348,913	7,690,123	33,119,226
1928-29	11,942,067	6,750,319	1,467,753	1,195,720	2,294,254	7,968,649	31,618,762
1929-30	11,965,208	5,400,037	1,721,388	1,123,483	2,247,942	7,488,060	29,946,118
1930-31	8,834,128	4,422,575	1,584,978	1,003,130	2,347,588	5,281,111	23,473,510
1931-32	†10,492,701	4,011,531	1,655,262	792,843	§3,455,446	4,605,764	25,013,547

* In the case of Agricultural Production, seasons ended last day of February in following year.

† For period

of 18 months ended 30th June, 1926.

‡ Includes £714,200 Bonus on Wheat production.

§ Includes

£74,512 Bonus on gold production.

a. For 1925-26 and after the values have been adjusted as agreed upon

by Conference of Australian Statisticians.

IX.—GOLD MINING STATISTICS.

No. 31.—Annual Gold Production of Western Australia from 1886, comprising Raw Gold entered for Export, plus Raw Gold received at the Perth Branch of the Royal Mint (from May, 1899) ; also amounts of Dividends paid.

Period.	Quantity of Raw Gold.			Value.*	Dividends Paid.
	Exported Direct.	Received at Perth Mint.	Total.		
	Fine ounces.	Fine ounces.	Fine ounces.	£	£
Prior to 1928	10,981,219	26,135,644	37,116,863	160,252,012	28,698,430
1928	3,339	390,069	393,408	1,671,093	31,250
1929	3,036	374,140	377,176	1,602,142	65,007
1930	1,753	415,765	417,518	1,864,442	31,250
1931	1,727	508,845	510,572	2,998,137	53,125
1932	3,887	601,674	605,561	4,403,642	366,718
1886 to 31st December, 1932 ...	10,994,961	28,426,137	39,421,098	172,791,468	29,246,380
January, 1933	110	45,645	45,755	344,539	27,384
February, 1933 ... ..	...	47,282	47,282	347,713	...
March, 1933	22	47,084	47,106	349,055	...
April, 1933	1,259	51,652	52,911	388,300	65,000
May, 1933	187	53,114	53,301	402,785	21,875
June, 1933 ... ..	...	53,452	53,452	402,129	37,438

* Australian currency, including premium.

No. 32.—Monthly Gold Production of Western Australia, being Export of Gold plus Gold received at the Perth Branch of the Royal Mint, from 1923.

Month.	1923.	1928.	1929.	1930.	1931.	1932.	1933.
	Fine ounces.	Fine ounces.	Fine ounces.	Fine ounces.	Fine ounces.	Fine ounces.	Fine ounces.
January	41,916	28,561	27,386	25,412	27,307	44,038	45,755
February	39,117	32,120	28,178	31,034	38,372	44,673	47,282
March	36,021	23,603	25,849	28,318	34,948	47,109	47,106
April	41,653	36,488	39,167	35,976	38,892	48,936	52,911
May	35,869	29,265	28,027	33,890	38,256	53,928	53,301
June	44,664	39,450	33,140	40,973	47,508	50,081	53,452
July	41,345	29,400	28,086	34,090	38,786	53,585	...
August	48,459	37,991	37,033	39,289	52,502	51,537	...
September	46,272	32,398	32,752	32,190	38,173	54,428	...
October	50,724	36,567	35,445	40,020	52,742	51,237	...
November	32,704	31,467	28,462	34,249	53,870	53,956	...
December	45,768	36,098	33,651	42,097	49,216	52,053	...
Total	504,512	393,408	377,176	417,518	510,572	605,561	299,807

X.—LIVE STOCK AND WOOL-CLIP.

No. 33.—Number of Live Stock in Western Australia on the 31st December, 1923 to 1932, and Wool Production during each Year.

Year.	Horses.	Cattle.	Sheep.	Pigs.	Goats.	Camels.	Mules and Donkeys.	Wool-clip.	Wool Exported on skins.
								lbs.	lbs.
1923	181,944	953,764	6,595,867	61,478	30,824	6,122	10,609	45,285,052	5,240,388
1928	160,876	837,527	8,943,002	49,243	19,762	4,119	9,560	58,865,734	5,025,250
1929	159,528	836,646	9,556,823	64,522	17,800	3,446	9,252	67,150,720	5,411,874
1930	156,973	†812,844	9,882,761	100,664	19,327	3,623	9,524	71,541,885	5,409,615
1931	156,439	826,532	10,098,104	120,521	18,828	2,880	9,716	71,614,145	6,371,596
1932	157,443	857,473	10,417,031	117,529	18,123	2,718	8,172	75,147,012	6,160,820

† Decrease on previous year is owing to transfer of cattle to Northern Territory runs.

XI.—AGRICULTURE.

No. 34.—Cropping, Clearing, etc., 1923-24 to 1932-1933.

Season ended last day of February.	Land Cropped, Cleared, etc.						
	Under Crop.	Under artificially sown grasses.	Newly cleared and prepared for next crops.	In fallow.	Other, previously cropped, now used for grazing, etc.	Ringbarked or partially cleared.	Total.
1924	acres. 2,323,070	acres. 38,022	acres. 408,156	acres. 1,232,030	acres. 2,234,820	acres. 2,660,106	acres. 8,896,204
1929	4,259,269	243,560	800,300	2,284,040	3,159,834	2,180,790	12,927,793
1930	4,566,001	323,925	774,654	2,597,846	3,544,650	1,996,234	13,803,310
1931	4,792,017	339,371	481,490	2,821,639	4,101,414	1,871,825	14,407,756
1932	3,961,459	370,935	214,665	2,567,720	5,317,899	1,780,091	14,212,769
1933	*4,259,000	427,847	150,511	2,707,197	4,863,540	1,785,952	14,194,047

* Liable to slight revision.

No. 35.—Areas under various kinds of Crops in Western Australia, 1923-1924 to 1932-1933.

Season ended last day of February.	Grain Crops.				Hay of all kinds.	Potatoes.	Vineyards.	Orchards.	Other Crops.
	Wheat.	Oats.	Barley.	Other.					
1924	acres. 1,656,915	acres. 241,608	acres. 8,673	acres. 1,863	acres. 329,534	acres. 4,761	acres. 5,235	acres. 18,781	acres. 55,700
1929	3,343,530	325,827	14,429	2,635	414,866	4,819	4,943	18,735	129,485
1930	3,568,225	385,134	23,649	2,759	418,698	6,024	4,964	18,871	137,677
1931	3,955,763	274,874	17,236	2,872	398,411	6,306	4,968	19,354	112,285
1932	3,158,888	267,894	14,533	2,302	381,447	4,892	5,139	19,530	106,834
1933*	3,387,940	285,850	13,772	2,582	417,435	4,971	†	†	121,449

* Liable to slight revision.

† Not yet available.

No. 36.—Yield of Principal Crops and quantity of Wine made, 1923-1924 to 1932-1933.

Season ended last day of February.	Principal Grain Crops.			Hay of all kinds.	Potatoes.	Wine.
	Wheat.	Oats.	Barley.			
1924	bushels. 18,920,271	bushels. 2,846,670	bushels. 97,779	tons. 368,122	tons. 17,830	gallons. 233,196
1929	33,790,040	3,554,609	189,560	421,504	18,774	309,524
1930	39,081,183	4,058,160	261,870	428,328	27,546	317,637
1931	53,504,149	3,292,560	185,316	491,595	26,318	307,788
1932	41,521,245	3,549,638	164,580	453,353	20,253	364,762
1933*	41,655,000	3,603,447	135,243	485,368	22,309	†

* Liable to slight revision.

† Not yet available.

No. 37.—Average Yield per Acre of Principal Crops, 1923-1924 to 1932-1933.

Season ended last day of February.	Principal Grain Crops.			Hay of all kinds.	Potatoes.
	Wheat.	Oats.	Barley.		
1924	bush. 11.42	bush. 11.78	bush. 11.27	tons. 1.12	tons. 3.74
1929	10.11	10.91	13.14	1.02	3.90
1930	10.95	10.54	11.08	1.02	4.57
1931	13.52	11.98	10.75	1.23	4.17
1932	13.14	13.25	11.33	1.19	4.14
1933*	12.30	12.61	9.82	1.17	4.49

* Liable to slight revision.

XII.—INDUSTRIAL ESTABLISHMENTS.

(Exclusive of Mines.)

No. 38.—Output of the principal Articles manufactured in Industrial Establishments of Western Australia, 1922 to 1931-32.

Articles, etc., Produced or Treated.		1923.	1927-1928.	1928-1929.	1929-1930.	1930-1931.	1931-1932.
Hides tanned	No.	42,823	48,513	50,628	53,092	34,099	35,860
Skins tanned	"	28,653	10,549	13,417	6,482	9,666	12,781
Leather produced	lbs.	1,558,074	1,842,787	1,952,941	1,787,637	1,224,321	1,248,396
Bricks	No.	28,508,955	53,317,694	60,816,627	48,156,746	13,923,006	15,291,829
Lime burned	tons.	9,808	8,339	11,355	9,229	160	700
Timber sawn or hewn <i>a</i>	sup. ft.	179,059,276	227,631,264	174,324,082	159,642,788	112,483,555	57,690,364
Bacon	lbs.	1,724,602	2,500,788	2,353,628	2,557,022	2,869,952	2,881,981
Ham	"	55,758	91,187	84,834	44,400	42,820	23,756
Butter	"	1,518,092	2,847,929	3,622,324	4,723,132	7,102,515	8,347,833
Confectionery	"	2,820,629	4,720,856	5,035,741	4,564,698	4,804,199	4,397,300
Jam	"	370,800	<i>b</i>	<i>b</i>	<i>b</i>	365,064	530,923
Pickles	pints	122,092	232,144	213,992	237,799	187,296	166,660
Sauce	"	177,059	394,750	386,812	348,544	460,565	450,194
Vinegar	"	807,344	1,706,952	1,216,600	1,539,862	1,167,439	1,241,712
Wheat ground	bush.	4,479,700	5,980,113	5,644,930	5,713,943	6,278,915	6,290,640
Flour made	tons	94,316	127,246	119,550	120,595	132,090	131,165
Aerated Waters	doz.	872,935	1,081,165	1,023,167	1,049,288	711,434	<i>d</i> 639,047
Cordials	"	109,196	26,885	24,714	23,671	21,955	13,107
Beer and Stout	gall.	4,988,140	6,010,532	5,934,303	6,008,184	5,028,182	4,366,461
Tobacco made	lbs.	1,035	107,400	192,015	228,054	202,321	266,687
Cigarettes made	No.	} lbs. 27,819	16,384,000	9,837,074	10,634,784	13,718,393	10,538,184
Do.	lbs.		34,100	20,440	21,830	30,174	23,138
Cigars made	No.		1,339,933	1,404,225	1,301,784	927,040	1,160,300
Do.	lbs.		14,480	14,998	13,718	8,860	9,840
Boots and Shoes	pairs	314,686	360,526	356,300	316,434	275,093	354,197
Electric Light used	Brit. Units	12,416,180	21,944,352	27,750,750	29,814,550	27,856,037	33,995,105
do. Power "	"	28,140,706	62,505,810	64,709,005	72,585,842	70,244,357	85,837,697
Gas manufactured	cub. ft.	182,379,500	330,239,700	361,561,400	408,213,400	423,549,300	393,262,000
Value, Total Industrial Production c...	£	5,789,786	7,690,123	7,968,649	7,488,060	5,281,111	4,605,764

a Including the following quantities (in super. feet):—Hewn outside Industrial Establishments, 1922, 29,470,578; 1927-28, 64,451,395; 1928-29, 29,281,146; 1929-30, 36,071,054; 1930-31, 38,158,959; 1931-32, 16,635,534. *b* Not available. *c* Added value, being the total value of output of all Industrial Establishments *minus* the values of raw material and fuel, etc. *d* Equals approximately 785,000 gallons and in addition 87,612 gallons of bulk hop beer, etc., were made.

XIII.—RETAIL PRICES AND HOUSE RENT.

METROPOLITAN AREA, OUTPORTS, AND COUNTRY TOWNS.

No. 39.—Average Retail Prices and Price Index Numbers—Food and Groceries.

Comparison of Metropolitan Area Retail Prices in March, 1933, and June, 1933, with Perth Retail Prices in July, 1914.						Price Index Numbers—June Quarter, 1933.	
Commodities.	Perth Prices, July, 1914.	March, 1933.		June, 1933.		Index Numbers representing variations in the cost of food and groceries in the undermentioned towns for the quarter ended June, 1933, with weighted average for six capital cities in 1911 as base (= 1000.).	
		(a.) Metropolitan Area.	Percentage Increase as compared with July, 1914.	(a.) Metropolitan Area.	Percentage Increase as compared with July, 1914.		
GROCERIES.						Town.	Index No.
Flour—Ordinary ... 25 lbs.	s. d. 2 8½	s. d. 2 5½	8.53†	s. d. 2 6½	5.43†		
Tea lb.	1 4	1 11½	45.31	1 11	43.75	Metropolitan Area ...	1386
Sugar "	0 2½	0 4	45.45	0 4	45.45	Albany	1476
Rice "	0 3	0 3½	16.67	0 3½	8.33	Bridgetown ...	1523
Sago "	0 2½	0 3	9.09	0 3	9.09	Bunbury	1433
Jam 1½ lb. tin	0 6½	0 10½	61.54	0 10	53.85	Collie	1420
Oatmeal lb.	0 2½	0 3	20.00	0 3	20.00	Cooolgardie ...	1763
Raisins "	0 7	0 9½	32.14	0 9½	32.14	Cue	1803
Currants "	0 6½	0 8½	34.62	0 8½	30.77	Dalwallinu ...	1663
Candles "	0 7½	1 0	60.00	1 0	60.00	Esperance ...	1692
Soap "	0 3	0 4½	41.67	0 4½	41.67	Geraldton ...	1360
Potatoes 14 lbs.	1 8½	0 10½	48.15†	1 4½	19.75†	Greenbushes ...	1573
Onions lb.	0 1½	0 1½	14.29†	0 1½	14.29†	Gwalla	1861
Kerosene gal.	1 2½	1 10½	53.45	1 10½	56.90	Jardee (Jarnadup) ...	1545
Butter lb.	1 4	1 3½	4.69†	1 4½	1.56	Jarrahdale ...	1480
Cheese "	0 11½	0 10½	4.44†	0 11½	2.22	Kalgoorlie ...	1686
Eggs doz.	1 8½	1 0½	39.02†	1 6	12.20†	Katanning ...	1424
Bacon—Rashers ... lb.	1 2	1 1½	3.57†	1 1½	5.36†	Leonora	1858
Ham "	1 3½	1 4	3.23	1 4	3.23	Manjimup ...	1570
Bread 2 lbs.	0 3½	0 3½	7.14	0 3½	7.14	Meekatharra ...	1852
Milk qrt.	0 6½	0 6½	4.00	0 6½	8.00	Menzies	1978
MEATS.						Merredin	1553
Beef—Sirloin lb.	0 8	0 8½	3.13	0 9	12.50	Mullewa	1637
Rib "	0 6½	0 7	3.70	0 7½	11.11	Nanga Brook...	1497
Steak, Rump "	0 11½	1 2½	23.91	1 2½	28.26	Narrogin	1479
Stewing "	0 6½	0 7	3.70	0 7½	14.81	Norseman	1930
Corned, Round ... "	0 7	0 7½	10.71	0 8	14.29	Northam	1473
Brisket with bone ... "	0 4½	0 4	5.88†	0 5	17.65	Pemberton ...	1595
Mutton—Leg "	0 9	0 5½	36.11†	0 6½	27.78†	Ravensthorpe ...	1739
Shoulder "	0 7½	0 4	44.83†	0 4½	37.93†	Southern Cross ...	1721
Loin "	0 8	0 5½	31.25†	0 6	25.00†	Westonia	1709
Chops, Loin... .. "	0 9	0 6½	30.56†	0 6½	25.00†	Wiluna	1990
" Leg "	0 9	0 6½	30.56†	0 7	22.22†	Yarloop	1484
Pork—Leg "	0 10½	0 8½	16.67†	0 9	14.29†	Youanmi	2281
Loin "	0 10½	0 8½	19.05†	0 8½	16.67†		
Chops "	0 11	0 9	18.18†	0 9½	15.91†		
Full Regimen (44 Commodities) ... ..	...	...	0.15†	...	5.37		

(a) Extending from Fremantle to Midland Junction, both inclusive. † Decrease.

Period.	Index No. *	Percentage Increase as compared with July, 1914.
1914.		
July ...	1340	...
1933.		
1st Qr. (Jan. to Mar.)	1316	1.79†
1933.		
April ...	1364	1.79
May ...	1382	3.13
June ...	1412	5.37
2nd Qr. (Apr. to June)	1386	3.43

* Representing variations in the cost of food and groceries in the Metropolitan Area for the periods referred to, with weighted average for six capital cities in 1911 as base (= 1000.).
† Indicates Decrease.

No. 40.—Average Weekly House Rents in the Metropolitan Area (a); March Quarter, 1933, and June Quarter, 1933.

Cottages.	Quarter ended March, 1933.	Quarter ended June, 1933.
Wood—	s. d.	s. d.
4 rooms ...	13 8	13 8
5 rooms ...	16 6	16 7
Brick—	s. d.	s. d.
4 rooms ...	16 11	16 9
5 rooms ...	21 5	21 4

(a) See Note (a) to Table No. 39. For the Quarter ended June, 1933, the average weekly house rent for four and five-roomed houses was 17/8 as compared with 17/9 for the Quarter ended Mar., 1933. In calculating the average rent for each quarter, "weights" representing the number of houses in the Metropolitan Area as disclosed by the 1921 Census were used.

XIV.—WAGES.

No. 41.—Minimum Rates of Wages payable under Awards of Courts of Arbitration and Industrial Agreements, in certain Trades and Occupations as at 30th June, 1933.

Note.—Rates shown to nearest farthing.

Occupation.	Wages.	Occupation.	Wages.
TREATING RAW MATERIAL, ETC.		STONE, CLAY, GLASS, ETC.— <i>contd.</i>	
Fanneries—	£ s. d.	Fibrous Plaster, Plaster, and Cement Goods—	£ s. d.
Bark Bagger	Per week.	Sheet Fibre Casters	Per hour.
Currier	3 7 6	Reinforced Cement Worker	0 1 7
Flesher (Hand)	3 18 3	Glass—	0 1 7
Lime Jobber	3 14 3	Glass bevelling and silvering	Per week.
Machinist	3 6 6		4 5 10
	3 7 6	Lime works—	
	to	Cutters, Loaders, Kilnhands and Quarry men	3 18 0
Roller or Striker	3 18 3		3 18 6
Shedman	3 11 0	Horse-drivers	4 3 6
Scudder, Unhalter	3 5 6		4 3 6
Tannery Hand (Unskilled)	3 9 3	Motor-drivers	to
Table Hands	3 4 3		4 11 6
	3 9 3	Day Firers, Powder Monkey, Lime Baggers and Crushers	4 4 0
Chaff-cutting and Carting—(a)	3 14 6	Kiln Repairers	4 7 0
Steam-feeder, Stackman and Sheaf-turner	4 2 0		Per shift.
Cook	4 4 6	Night Firer	1 0 4
Bag Sewer	5 2 0	Pottery and Porcelain Employees—	Per day.
Engine-driver	6 6 0	Burner or Moulder	0 13 4½
Teamster			0 12 10½
(From these rates £1 4s. 6d. is deducted per week for keep.)		Setters	to
Wool Scouring—			0 13 4½
Wool Scourer	4 3 0	Flangers	0 13 4½
All other adults	3 17 0	Trap Makers	0 13 1½
		Junction Sticker	0 12 10½
OILS AND FATS.		Others	0 11 6
Oil Handling—	Per hour.		
Adults	0 2 7½	WORKING IN WOOD.	
Soap and Candle Factories—	Per week.	Box and Case-making—	Per week.
Glycerine Hand	4 19 0	Sawyer	4 17 1
Leading Candlemaker	3 18 0	Machinist	3 15 2
Boxmaker	3 18 0	Case-maker	3 15 2
Soap Crutcher	3 16 0	Labourer	3 9 0
Storeman Packer	3 15 0	Joinery—	
Soda Crystal Maker	3 15 0	Carpenter (Government)	4 8 10
Tallow Man, Box Wirer, and Soap Cutter	3 14 0		Per hour.
Assistants to Soap-maker and Candle-maker	3 14 0	Carpenter (Other)	0 2 0½
All other Adults (Males)	3 9 0		to
			0 2 2½
STONE, CLAY, GLASS, ETC.		Forest Sawmills—South-West Land Division (c)	Per week.
Brickworks—	Per hour.	Blacksmith (Bush) or Farrier	4 3 11
Hoffman Kilns:		Carpenter (Bush)	3 19 1
Burner	0 1 9½	Carpenters and Joiners	4 8 9
	Per day.		3 13 2
Clayhole Hand	0 13 8	Dockerman	to
	to		3 16 10
Machine Driver	0 14 6½	Engine-drivers—	4 4 9
	0 13 8	Locomotive	to
	to		4 9 6
Taker-off (Single Machine, youth)	0 14 0½	Stationary	3 16 10
Taker-off and Tucker (Double Machine)	0 10 9½		to
Setter	0 13 8		3 19 1
Moulder and presser (Fancy Bricks)	0 14 9½	Faller	4 1 6
	0 14 9½	Fireman—	
	to	Locomotive	4 14 5
Drawers (b)	0 4 2		3 12 0
	per 1,000	Stationary	to
Wire-cut Brickyards—	Per day.		3 14 5
Clayhole Hand	0 13 8		3 14 5
	to	Horse-driver	to
Off-bearers	0 14 6½		3 16 10
Scintlers	0 14 4½	Labourer	3 9 6
	0 13 8		3 19 6
Burners	0 13 8	Machinist	4 7 6
	to		3 9 6
Setters	0 14 6½	Puller out	to
Millfeeder	0 14 9½		4 1 6
Wheeler-out	0 13 8	Saw Doctor	4 13 6
Wheeler or Crowder-in	0 14 0½		3 12 0
Cement Pipe-making—	Per week.	Sawyer	to
Maintenance Man	4 3 5		4 8 9
	3 16 0	Spotter	4 3 11
Pipe Maker	to	Swamper	3 14 5
	3 17 1		3 9 6
Stone Crushers	3 16 0	Stacker	to
Labourer	3 10 8		3 14 5
Cement Works—		Town Sawmills—	4 0 7
Miller	4 1 8	Buzzer	to
Assistant	3 15 8		4 5 5
Burner	4 11 8	Motor Lorry Driver	4 0 7
Dredge Hand	4 7 8		4 7 0
	3 12 8		
Labourer	to		
	4 0 8		

(a) The award applies to S.W. Land Division.

(b) ½d. to be added for each hour worked.

(c) Outside Metropolitan Area.

No. 41.—Minimum Rates of Wages payable under Awards of Courts of Arbitration and Industrial Agreements, in certain Trades and Occupations as at 30th June, 1933—contd.

Occupation.	Wages.	Occupation.	Wages.
	£ s. d.		£ s. d.
WORKING IN WOOD—contd.			
Town Sawmills— <i>contd.</i>	Per week.	FOOD AND DRINK, ETC.	
Joiner	4 5 0	Ham and Bacon Curing—	Per week.
Moulding Machinist	4 0 7	Leading Man	4 17 0
Sawyer	4 to 5	Scalders	4 10 0
Shaper	4 5 5	Assistants in Cellar, Bacon Rollers etc.	4 7 6
Tenoner	3 17 1	Pork Labourers, Shavers, etc. ...	4 2 6
Wood-turner	4 5 0	Yardmen	4 0 0
	4 7 5	Biscuits and Cakes—	
METAL WORKS AND MACHINERY.			
Engineering, Foundries, etc.—		Blacuit Makers	4 5 0
Blacksmith, Coppersmith, Fitter, Turner,		Machine Hands	4 5 0
Planer, Slotter, etc.	4 8 3	Employees in Charge, Cake Mixing	4 5 0
Pattern maker	4 15 5	Weighters, Mixers, and Blenders	3 17 1
Furnace man	3 18 7	Female Employees (Adults) ...	1 18 8
Tradesman's Assistant	4 8 3	Pastry Cooking—	
Bollermaker	3 9 0	Pastrycook (Single Hand) ...	4 16 6
Moulder	3 13 11	Pastrycook	4 9 0
Engineering (Sawmills)—South-West Land		Casual	Per day.
Division (c)—		Flour Mills—	Per week.
Leading Hand	5 0 9	Foreman Miller	4 13 6
Pattern-maker	4 15 11	Shift Millers or Roller man ...	4 1 9
Oxy-acetylene Operator	4 11 11	Fitters and Millwrights	4 11 3
Fitter, Turner, etc.	4 8 9	General Repairers	4 8 0
Driller	3 19 1	Wheat Samplers	4 2 9
Electrical Wireman	4 3 11	Smuttermen and Topmen	3 11 9
Tradesmen's Assistants	3 14 5	Packermen	3 9 3
Agricultural Implement Making—	Per day.	Storeman	3 11 9
Assemblers	0 12 3	Engine-drivers	3 17 3
Labourers	0 11 6	Firemen	4 0 0
Agricultural Implement Making (Govern-		Other	3 9 3
ment)—		Sugar Refinery—	3 6 6
Pattern-makers	Per week.	Raw Sugar:	Per week.
Blacksmiths	4 16 0	Leading hand	3 19 6
Bollermaker	4 13 7	Unsticking, cutting-in	3 14 6
Carpenters	4 11 2	Melting House:	
Fitters, Turners, Moulders	4 9 7	Washing fugalas	3 15 0
Plumbers, and Painters	4 8 10	Pan Floor:	
Labourers	4 8 10	Refined fugalas	3 19 0
Engineering (Railways)—		Boil-out fugalas	3 12 0
Foreman	Per day.	Refined Sugar Floor:	
Fitter in Charge, Running Shed ...	1 0 1	Leading hand	3 19 6
Fitter in Charge, Power House ...	0 19 2	Drier and Grader	3 14 0
Pattern-maker	0 18 4	Stackers and Truckers	3 12 0
Blacksmith	0 17 5	Packages:	
Coppersmith, Fitter, Brass Finisher,	0 17 0	Leading hand	3 18 0
Turner, Borer, Planer, etc. ...	0 16 2	Men Washing and Drying ...	3 9 0
Furnaceman, etc.	0 14 10	Cleaner Attendants	3 12 0
Bollermaker	0 15 9	Unspecified Workers	3 9 0
Moulder	0 16 7	Aerated Water and Cordial Factories—	
Engineering (Goldfields)—		Horse or Motor Driver	4 1 0
Coppersmith, Blacksmith, Fitter, Turner,		Bottler in Charge	4 1 6
Motor Mechanic and Planer	5 3 0	Bottler	3 14 0
Sheet Metal Working—		Winer or Packer	3 14 0
Bench Hands (First class)	5 12 0	Corker	3 11 6
Stock Hands	4 12 3	Others	3 9 0
Canister Makers	4 5 5	†Breweries (including Bottling)—	
Stove and Range Fitters and Assemblers	3 19 5	Engine-drivers	5 6 6
Gas Meter makers	4 5 5	Firemen	4 11 6
Wire-working—		Motor Lorry Drivers	4 15 6
Galvaniser	4 3 0	Cylinder Men	4 18 0
Hand and Power Loom Weaver ...	3 18 3	Leading Hands	4 13 0
Barbed Wire-maker	3 17 1	Bottle Washers, Cask Washers, Corkers,	4 11 0
Machinist	3 17 1	Winers and Labourers	4 8 0
Labourer	3 9 0	Ice Works—	
Plumbing—		Engine-driver	4 7 5
Plumber (Government)	4 8 10	Fireman	3 13 11
Plumber (Other)	Per hour.	Baking—(Within 25 Miles G.P.O.)	
	0 2 2½	Foreman in Charge of 4 or more Workers	5 12 0
		Foreman in Charge of less than 4 Workers	5 9 6
		Single-hand Baker	5 7 0
		Dough-maker	5 7 0
		Baker doing Oven Work	5 4 6
		Board Hand	5 2 0
		Jobber	Per hour.
		Bread Carter	0 2 8½
		Bread Carter (in charge, motor vehicles)	Per week.
		Cigar, Cigarette, and Tobacco Making—	3 17 1
		Males	4 1 5
		Females	3 12 0
		Fruit and Produce Markets—	1 19 4
		Storeman	3 19 0

(c) Outside Metropolitan Area.

† Wages paid by private agreement, there being no award covering brewery employees.

No. 41.—Minimum Rates of Wages payable under Awards of Courts of Arbitration and Industrial Agreements in certain Trades and Occupations as at 30th June, 1933—contd.

Occupation.	Wages.	Occupation.	Wages.
	£ s. d.		£ s. d.
CLOTHING AND TEXTILE FABRICS AND FIBROUS MATERIALS.	Per week.	Printing (Newspapers)—continued.	Per week.
Boots and 'hoes—		Linotype Mechanics—	
Journeyman	4 1 6	Night	6 2 0
Journeywoman	2 1 7	Day	5 9 3
Clothing Trades—		Flat-bed Machinists	
Dressmaking—		Night	6 6 3
Skirt Hand	2 1 2	Day	5 13 6
Coat, Bodice, etc., Hand	2 2 9	General Hands—	
Millinery—		Night	5 9 3
Milliner	1 19 6	Day	4 16 6
Knitting—		Printing (Jobbing) (a):	
Males	3 11 1	Machine Compositor	4 17 6
Females	2 0 7	Proof Reader or Reviser	4 12 0
Ready-made Clothing (Men's and Boys' Outer)—		Hand Compositor, Slugger, Bulk	
Foreman	4 14 7	Hand, Stone Hand, Electrotyper, Stereotype, Letterpress Machinist, Rotary Machinist, Hand Indexer, Book Binder, Marbler, Blocker, Finisher, Paper Ruler, Guillotine Machine Operator, Man in Charge Envelope-making Machine	4 6 9
Cutter, Trimmer, and Presser	4 2 7	Rotary Machinist's Assistant	3 18 6
Coat Hand (Female)	2 2 0	Stone or Plate Preparer	3 12 3
Brusher and Folder (Female)	1 19 6	Ink Grinder or Varnisher	3 8 9
Machinist	2 0 9	Envelope Angle Cutter	4 3 0
	to	Envelope Cutter or Die Cutter, Tag Machinist, Cutter of Playing Cards, Surface Coater	3 16 0
	2 2 0	Calenderer, Water-proofer	3 12 3
Shirtmaking—		Brusher, Plate Roller	3 13 3
Cutter (Male)	4 2 7	Storeman, Packer, or Despatcher	3 10 6
Cutter (Female)	2 6 1		
Machinist, Ironer, Starcher	1 19 6	VEHICLES AND FITTINGS, SADDLERY, HARNESS, ETC.	
Stock Costumes—		Coachbuilding, etc.—	
Dressmaking (ready made):		Coachsmith, Painter, Wheelwright, etc.	4 8 3
Stock Cutter (Male)	4 2 7	Spoke Throaters, Machinists, etc.	4 5 0
Stock Cutter (Female)	2 6 1	Smith's Striker	3 13 6
Skirt Hand	2 0 7	Sectional Trimmer	4 1 10
Coat, Bodice, etc. Hand	2 0 7	Floor Man	4 1 0
Machinist	2 0 7	Metal Panel Fixer	3 19 5
White Work—		Painter's Labourer	3 17 1
Corset Maker	2 3 7	Vyce Man	3 14 9
Cutter (Female)	2 6 1	Storeman	3 17 1
Washer, Starcher, and Ironer	1 19 6	Others	3 9 0
Machinist	1 19 6	Saddlery and Leather Working—	
Tailoring—		Journeyman	4 8 3
Males:		Females	to
Cutters	5 2 0		4 5 10
Foremen	4 14 6	SHIPBUILDING, ETC.	
Trimmers, Fitters, Tailors, Machinists and Pressers	4 8 0	Shipwrights and Boatbuilders	5 2 7
All others	3 9 0		
Females:		FURNITURE, BEDDING, ETC.	
Cutters	5 2 0	Furniture Making—	Per week.
Trimmers, Fitters, and Pressers	4 8 0	Cabinet-maker, Wood Carver, Wood Turner, Leadlighter, Shaper and Upholsterer	4 8 3
Machinists	2 15 2	French Polisher, Glass Beveller, Wire-Mattress Maker and Wicker Worker	4 5 10
Body and Dress Coat Hands	4 8 0	Mattress Maker	4 3 5
All other Coat Hands	2 15 2	Picture Frame Maker	4 1 0
Trouser Hands	2 8 2	Labourer	3 9 0
Vest and Skirt Hands	2 5 10		to
Dyeing and Cleaning—			3 11 6
Males	3 14 0	DRUGS AND CHEMICALS.	
Females	2 11 9	Superphosphate Works—	Per day.
Waterproof Garments—		Phosphate Rock Section	0 12 3
Males:			to
Dippers and Prooferers	4 6 0		0 13 3
Cutters	4 6 0		0 13 9
Females:		Sulphur Section	to
Makers	2 11 4		0 14 9
	2 1 6	Superphosphate Section	to
Machinists	to		0 12 3
	2 3 0		to
Others	2 0 0		0 13 9
Rope and Cordage—		Sulphuric Acid Chamber Section	to
Rope Maker	4 4 0		0 13 9
Assistant	3 14 0	Acid and Chemical Manufacturing Plant Section	0 13 9
Other	3 9 0		to
Female	1 17 3	Mixed Manure Plant	to
Bag, Sack, and Textile Workers—			0 13 9
Floor Hands (Females)	1 17 3		Per week.
Machinists and Hand Cutters (Females)	1 19 3	General Section	3 18 6
Factory Hands (Male)	3 19 0		to
			4 5 6
BOOKS, PAPER, AND PRINTING.		SCIENTIFIC APPLIANCES.	
Cardboard Box and Carton-making—(a)		Optical Instruments—	
Guillotine	3 18 6	Optical Mechanic	4 16 0
Carton Setters	4 1 3		
Two-way or Double-cutter Machinist	3 16 0		
Storeman, Packer and Despatcher	3 10 6		
	1 15 3		
Females	to		
	2 16 9		
Printing (Newspapers)—			
Linotype Operators:			
Night	7 4 1		
Day	6 11 4		

No. 41.—Minimum Rates of Wages payable under Awards of Courts of Arbitration and Industrial Agreements in certain Trades and Occupations as at 30th June, 1933—contd.

Occupation.	Wages	Occupation.	Wages.
WATCHES, JEWELLERY, ETC.		MISCELLANEOUS—contd.	
Jewellers and Allied Trades—	Per week.	Beef Carters' Section:	£ s. d.
Watchmakers and Clockmakers ...	4 14 0	Beef Carters—Horse and Cart ...	3 19 0
Jewellers ...	4 13 0	Motors (30 cwt.) ...	4 4 0
Enamellers and Metal Badge Makers ...	4 9 0	Motors (over 30 cwt.) ...	4 9 0
Females ...	2 9 8	Abattoirs Section:	
LIGHT, HEAT AND POWER.		Labourer ...	3 14 0
Electric Light Works—	Per day.	Slaughterman's Labourer ...	3 19 0
Turbine Driver ...	0 16 9	Beef Lumpers and Tallowman ...	3 19 0
Auxiliary Plant Attendant ...	0 16 0	Slaughterman ...	4 16 6
Leading Fireman ...	0 16 3	Building Contractors—	Per hour.
Fireman, Greaser ...	0 15 2	Plasterer ...	0 2 4½
Boiler Cleaner ...	0 14 1	Bricklayer ...	0 2 2½
Engine or Plant Cleaner ...	0 13 8	Motors (over 30 cwt.) ...	0 1 8½
Gas Works—	Per week.	Labourer ...	to
Retort Operator ...	4 5 9	Stonemason ...	0 1 10½
to		Carters and Drivers—	0 2 4½
Gas Meter Repairer ...	4 14 11	Horse Driver (1 horse) ...	Per week.
Stove Fitter and Repairer ...	4 13 0	to	3 17 1
Mainlayer or Caulker ...	4 5 0	Horse Driver (2 to 5 horses) ...	4 0 7
Men engaged on Coal, Coke, or Tar ...	4 1 0	to	4 3 0
Men emptying or filling purifier ...	3 12 0	Horse Driver (over 5 horses) 6d. per day	
Men filling casks, etc. with tar ...	3 15 0	extra per horse	
Stove Assemblers ...	3 15 0	Stableman ...	3 16 0
Labourers ...	3 18 0	Motor Wagon Driver:	
RUBBER GOODS AND LEATHERWARE.		25 cwt. or less ...	4 0 7
Rubber Factories—		26 cwt. to 3 tons ...	4 3 10
Adult Male Workers ...	3 18 0	Over 3 tons ...	4 7 0
MISCELLANEOUS.		Loaders, Yardmen, Horse and Motor	
Agricultural and Pastoral Pursuits—		Drivers' Assistants ...	3 15 2
Shearers (not found):	Per 100.	Passenger-Carrying—	
Flock Sheep ...	1 6 6	Taxi-car Drivers ...	4 0 6
Rams that have cut first two per-		Char-a-banc Drivers ...	4 4 0
manent teeth and for ram stags ...	2 13 0	All Others ...	3 9 0
Stud Ewes (not special) ...	1 13 2	Cemetery Employees—	
Special Studs (as per agreement)	Per day.	Grave Digger ...	4 4 0
to		Gardener's Labourer ...	4 1 0
Shed Hands (not found) ...	Per week.	Labourer ...	3 15 0
Shearing Cooks (found) ...	5 0 6	Cleaning, etc.—	
Station Hands (not found) ...	3 14 3	Cleaner (Male) ...	3 11 6
Attendance and Service—	2 16 0	Caretaker (Male) ...	4 8 7
Barmen, Barmaids (without Board and		Cleaner (Female) ...	1 15 2
Lodging) ...	4 9 0	Lift Attendant ...	3 9 0
Hotels and Coffee Palaces (without Board		Window Cleaner (Male) ...	3 17 1
and Lodging)—		Clerical—	
Cooks (Male) ...	3 11 2	Wholesale Houses:	
to		Clerk (Male) ...	3 13 0
Cooks (Female) ...	4 13 4	to	4 1 0
to	2 18 11	Clerk (Senior) ...	4 9 0
Waiter ...	3 19 2	Clerk (Female) ...	2 10 10
Night Porter ...	3 10 2	Retail Houses—	
Hall Porter ...	3 11 2	Clerk (Male) ...	3 17 1
Waitress and other female Workers ...	3 9 0	Clerk (Female) ...	2 6 11
Restaurants (without Board)—	2 10 6	Diving (Marine) and Tending—	Per day.
Cooks (Male) ...	3 9 0	Divers (when diving) ...	1 4 0
to		Divers (when not diving) ...	Per week.
Cooks (Female) ...	4 9 3	to	4 5 10
to	2 7 1	Tenders (when tending) ...	Per day.
Waiter ...	3 7 3	to	0 14 3
Other Male Workers ...	3 9 0	Tenders (when not tending) ...	Per week.
Waitress ...	3 9 0	to	3 15 0
Other Female Workers ...	2 1 9	Dock, River, and Harbour Works—	
Counter Hand ...	1 19 10	Pile Driving:	
Clubs (without Board and Lodging)—	2 6 1	Man in Charge ...	4 4 0
Cooks (Male) ...	3 15 0	to	3 15 0
to		Others ...	3 18 0
Cooks (Female) ...	4 18 0	Case Driving—	
to	3 4 3	Leading Hand ...	3 19 2
Barman ...	4 5 3	Assistants ...	3 15 0
Waiter ...	4 2 0	Drilling and Blasting Plant:	
Kitchenman, Pantryman, and Steward ...	3 14 0	Leading Hand ...	4 8 10
Waitress and other female Workers ...	3 10 0	to	3 12 0
Butchering and Slaughtering—	2 15 6	Others ...	to
Shop Section:		Quarry Workers ...	3 18 0
Order Cart Hand ...	3 14 0	Ganger ...	4 1 7
to		to	4 13 7
General Butcher ...	4 9 0	Survey Hands ...	3 12 0
Cutting Cart Hand ...	4 9 0	to	3 18 0
Smallgoodsman ...	4 9 0	Concrete Pile-driving Plants:	
to		Man in Charge ...	4 8 10
First Shopman ...	4 14 0	Topman ...	4 1 7
to		Machine Man ...	3 19 2
to		Concrete Pile Construction:	
to		Fitter's Assistant ...	3 18 0
to		Men employed hand-ramming hot	
to		bitumastic macadam ...	4 4 10

No. 41.—Minimum Rates of Wages payable under Awards of Courts of Arbitration and Industrial Agreements in certain Trades and Occupations as at 30th June, 1933—contd.

Occupation.	Wages.	Occupation.	Wages.
MISCELLANEOUS—contd.		MISCELLANEOUS—contd.	
Miscellaneous:	Per week.	Mining (Gold) contd.—	Per week.
Various classes of employees ...	£ s. d. 3 13 10 to 4 13 7	Engineering:	£ s. d.
Dredge Employees—		Driller, Screwer, Motor Attendant ...	4 11 0
Ladder-man ...	4 4 10	Electrical Wireman ...	4 17 0
Quartermaster, Deckhands ...	3 18 0	Electrical Linesman ...	4 17 0
Winchman (Leading) ...	4 2 5	Pipe-fitter ...	4 14 0
Winchman (Other) ...	4 0 0	Coppersmith, Blacksmith, Turner.	
Greaser ...	4 4 10	Fitter, etc. ...	5 3 0
Fireman ...	4 0 0	Pattern maker ...	5 12 0
Engine-driving—		Engine-driving, etc.:	Per day.
Government (excluding Railways):		Winding Engine-driver ...	0 16 10
Loco. Driver (Harbour Works) ...	4 8 10 4 6 5 to 4 11 2	Winch-driver ...	0 17 10 0 15 10 to 0 16 4
Pile Driver ...	4 6 5	Loco Engine-driver ...	0 16 4
Stationary Steam (2nd Class Certificate)	3 19 2	Stationary Steam Engine-drivers	0 15 4 to 0 16 4
Stationary Steam (3rd Class Certificate)	4 4 0	Fireman—Leading ...	0 15 2
Producer Gas Engine ...	4 4 0	Fireman—Steam ...	0 14 2
Steam Crane Drivers:		Greasers, Cleaners ...	0 14 2
25 tons and over ...	4 4 0	Trimmer ...	0 13 8
Under 25 tons ...	3 19 2	Boiler Cleaners ...	0 15 8
Main Roads Board:		Municipal Employees (Perth)—	
Steam Roller Drivers ...	4 17 7	Sanitary Employees:	Per week.
Internal Combustion Rollers		Rubbish Tipmen ...	3 13 11
10 tons and over ...	4 17 7	Rubbish and Dust Carters ...	3 17 1
Under 10 tons ...	4 13 7	Sanitary pan Removers, Washers,	
Motor Graders ...	4 13 7	Stage Hands, Trenchmen and Offal	
Hairdressing—		Carters ...	4 3 5
Hairdresser (Male) ...	4 5 7	Attendants, latrine ...	3 11 6
Hairdresser (Female) ...	2 16 3	Motor Lorry Drivers on Sanitary Work	4 13 10
Hospital Employees (Coastal)—		Horse-drivers ...	4 0 3 3 18 7 to 4 1 10
Head Orderly ...	4 1 11	Stablemen ...	3 19 5
Other Orderlies ...	3 9 0	Motor Lorry Drivers ...	4 7 5 3 9 0 to 3 10 8
Laundry Staff—		Sweepers (Adults) ...	2 4 8
Washhouse-man ...	3 13 3	Sweepers (Boys) ...	3 11 6
Washhouse-woman ...	2 16 3	Drainage Worker ...	4 1 0
Ironers ...	2 11 4	Painters and Decorators—	Per hour.
Others (Adults) ...	2 6 10	Glaziers ...	0 2 1
Kitchen Staff (with Board and Lodging):		Sign-writers ...	0 2 2½
Cooks ...	1 17 6 to 2 13 1	Painters ...	0 2 2½
Kitchenmaid, Scullerymaid ...	1 5 8	Photographic Employees—	Per week.
General Staff (Female) ...	1 5 8	Male (Adult) ...	4 5 0
Kitchenman ...	2 11 1	Female (Adult) ...	2 10 0
Laundry Employees—		Quarrymen—	
Washhouse-man ...	Per day.	Jumpers ...	3 16 2
Washhouse-woman ...	0 12 7	Crusher Feeders ...	4 0 7
Ironers, etc. ...	0 9 5 0 8 7	Hammer and Drillmen ...	3 16 2
Mining (Coal)—	Per shift.	Powder Monkeys ...	4 2 7
Miners ...	0 15 3 to 0 17 1	Spallars ...	3 18 3
Pumpman ...	0 15 8	Railways, Government —	Per day.
Shiftman, 1st Class ...	0 15 8	Engine-drivers ...	0 16 2 to 1 1 1
Shiftman, 2nd Class ...	0 14 8	Firemen ...	0 14 3 to 0 16 2
Wheeler (Hand) ...	0 14 7	Guard ...	0 14 10 to 0 16 2
Wheeler (Horse) ...	0 13 7	Porter ...	0 12 7 to 0 13 11
Filler ...	0 13 8	Shunter ...	0 13 8 to 0 14 2
Tipplers, Gantry and Screenman ...	0 13 7	Signalman ...	0 13 1 to 0 15 3
Winchman, Underground Worker ...	0 12 4	Cleaner (Adult) ...	0 13 8
Surface Labourer ...	0 12 4		
Mining (Gold)—			
General:			
Rock Drill Men ...	0 15 4 to 0 16 6 0 14 6 to 0 15 8		
Hand Miners ...	0 16 6		
Shaft Timber Men ...	0 13 8		
Mullokers, Truckers, Shovelers ...	0 13 2		
General Labourers (Surface) ...	0 13 2 to 0 15 8		
Others ...			

No. 4.—Minimum Rates of Wages payable under Awards of Courts of Arbitration and Industrial Agreements in certain Trades and Occupations as at 30th June, 1933—*contd.*

Occupation.	Wages.	Occupation.	Wages.
MISCELLANEOUS— <i>contd.</i>		MISCELLANEOUS— <i>contd.</i>	
Shop Assistants—	£ s. d. Per week.	Tramways— <i>contd.</i>	Per week. £ s. d.
Hardware, Furniture and Carpet Departments or Shops: Male ...	3 19 0	Ganger ...	4 9 7
Female ...	2 8 2	Meter Reader ...	4 19 2
Grocery Departments or Shops—		Chainman ...	4 4 0
Male ...	3 19 0		4 0 0
Female ...	2 16 4	Undertakers—	
Manchester, Dress and Silk Departments or Shops:		Coffin Makers ...	4 9 6
Male ...	3 19 0	Trimmer ...	3 19 6
Female ...	2 11 0	Groom ...	3 19 6
All other Departments and Shops:		Waterside Workers—	Per hour.
Male ...	3 19 0	Lumper (General Cargo) ...	0 2 4
Female ...	2 4 1	Lumper (Wheat) ...	0 2 7
Storemen, Despatch Hands and Packers	3 19 0	Wine and Spirit Warehouse Employees—	Per week.
Canvasser ...	4 2 7	Cellarman—Head ...	4 6 3
Cleaners and door Porters ...	3 15 0	Storeman ...	3 13 7
Lift Attendants ...	3 11 1	Others ...	3 17 1
Tramways—		Wool Stores—	
Conductors, Motormen and Pitmen ...	3 19 2	Head Classifier ...	5 1 0
Car Starter ...	4 5 7	Assistant Classifier ...	4 13 0
Platelayer ...	3 18 7		4 6 0
Fettler and Track Repairer ...	3 15 0	Assistant Storeman ...	to
Storeman ...	4 4 0		4 9 0
Motor Car and Lorry Drivers:		Skin Sorter ...	4 1 0
Not exceeding 25 cwt. ...	4 0 0	Others ...	3 17 0
Exceeding 25 cwt. up to 5 tons ...	4 2 0		

XV.—METEOROLOGICAL STATISTICS.

(Supplied by the Commonwealth Meteorologist, Mr. W. S. Watt.)

No. 42.—Notes on the Rainfall of Western Australia during the months of April, May, and June.

April.—Excluding the De Grey, Fortescue, and a few stations in the lower South-West the month's rainfall has been everywhere disappointing. After the 1st a few isolated showers only fell in the Kimberleys, and the season closed with rain greatly in defect. The De Grey and Fortescue received the benefits of a tropical downpour between the 5th and the 9th, and everywhere excesses were indicated which, following upon the March rains, must give a splendid impetus to the coming season. These rains moved southwards, and in conjunction with a southern low penetrated the wheat belt, goldfields, dairying and fruit country. Unfortunately this was not followed up, except in the lower South-West, and at the end of the month all sections of the wheat belt were in urgent need of a good soaking rain, not only for seeding operations, but also for grasses, which had received a severe set-back owing to the dry spell since the 10th. Rains would also be valuable in filling water catchments which in many districts were empty, rendering water-carting necessary. In the Albany and Mt. Barker districts, however, rains fell off and on till the end of the month from passing depressions, and these proved most valuable in maintaining plant growth.

Owing to the position of the tropical lows the month on the whole has been warmer on the coast than inland. In Perth the mean maximum was 78.6deg. compared with the average of 76.1deg. The warm conditions were particularly noticeable between the 15th and 26th, and have only been exceeded in 1920 and 1924. There have, of course, been shorter spells of hotter weather, notably in 1910, 1927, and 1928.

Perth, in common with other coastal stations and wheat belt centres, has experienced a very dry summer, only 2.91 inches being registered since 1st November. This is certainly low, but is by no means a record. In 1911-12 the six months ending 30th April only yielded 1.42 inches, while in 1907-08, 2.04 inches were recorded for the same period. There are other years also yielding lower figures. In the Avon Valley, taking Northam as a guide, 1.73 inches were registered; these figures are by no means records, and many instances occur where lower gaugings for the six months were registered. In 1901-02 only 0.61 inches were reported, and 0.73 inches in 1907-08. It is remarkable, when perusing the figures for this station, to note the low summer figures between 1889 and 1903. In all there are seven occasions during which the rain for the six summer months falls below the present total of 1.73 inches. Further eastward both Merredin with 0.79 inches and Bencubbin with 0.65 inches established records. Mangowine Springs, whose records go back for 44 years, has been taken as a guide, and the previous lowest at this station was 0.94 inches in 1898-99. The Southern Cross total of 1.78 inches is by no means the lowest, and outstanding low summer figures at this station were 1898-99, when from 1st November to 30th April only 0.43 inches were registered, and 1920-21 when 0.54 inches fell.

May.—Conditions during the month, from a rainfall standpoint, were decidedly tantalising. During the first three weeks the condition prevailing in April continued, and the weather in the main was governed by a series of high pressure systems forming in the Bight.

On several occasions promising depressions thrust themselves up from the Southern Indian Ocean towards the Leeuwin, but they were unable, owing to the resistance offered by the highs, to make contact with the Tropical Lows, and continued Southward towards Tasmania. It was not until the 20th that this High Pressure influence was definitely broken down and general rain recorded. Summed up, the rainfall throughout the month may be divided into two groups. The rain between the 9th and 13th, which marked the opening of the winter series, indicated the first group, while those which commenced on the 21st and finally ended on the 28th, denoted the second series.

From the first disturbance the rains were beneficial to the Central and Southern portion of the wheat belt, good falls being registered in these districts, but through the Northern, North-Eastern, and Eastern Districts the falls, in view of the long, dry summer, were quite inadequate to afford any relief.

Fine weather again set in and continued till the 20th, when some preliminary showers heralded the approach of one of the most extensive and substantial rainstorms ever registered during May. Rain was recorded throughout the State from Derby in the West Kimberley to Eucla at the head of the Bight. Throughout the agricultural districts the soil received a thorough soaking, and dams which had been dry for some time had become partially filled, thus obviating the necessity for carting water. Green feed was already showing up and stock improving in condition.

The dairying and fruit-growing areas also benefited, while the pastoral country received good falls, and here and there some record gaugings for May were registered.

There was nothing exceptional about the temperatures, and these, both maximum and minimum, were almost equal to the average.

Rough weather from the last-mentioned rainstorm was experienced in Perth and on the coast, while across the Bight steamers, from time to time during the month, encountered very stormy weather and were, consequently, delayed.

June.—The wet weather which characterised the end of May continued throughout the first half of June. The heaviest falls broke over the Northern country between Mingenew, Three Springs, Carnamah, down to Moora, and Eastwards to Dalwallinu, and, besides flooding the country, considerable damage was caused. The continuous rains held up seeding but, on the other hand, thoroughly soaked the land, while all water catchments were filled.

Crops that had been sown early, and the grasses, responded readily to the rains and the comparatively warm weather, and the former were looking healthy although weeds were apparent in many districts. Fortunately a spell of fine weather with cold nights and frosts ensued, enabling farmers to resume operations.

In the North-Eastern and Eastern wheat belt, the dry spell proved to be somewhat long, and the widespread rains on the 26th were welcomed as they freshened up the crops and pastures and softened the heavier lands which had again become too hard for ploughing.

Some scattered rains were noted in the tropics, while earlier in the month some fairly widespread falls were shown throughout the Gascoyne, not sufficient, however, to bring the monthly totals up to the average.

In the Southern Murchison, in view of the exceedingly dry time experienced by some stations, some welcome falls were shown between the 4th and 6th, and while lesser registrations on the 14th brought the monthly total considerably above the average.

Throughout the Northern Goldfields, which were in need of a good soaking downpour, the gaugings were confined between the 4th and 6th, and, in the great majority of instances, the totals did not reach the average.

In Perth the total rain recorded was 6.52 inches against the average of 7.02 inches.

Temperatures, especially night readings, were warmer than usual, while conditions were occasionally rough on our West and South-West coasts, but in the Bight the weather was at times very severe, and shipping was considerably delayed.

No. 43.—Abstract of Meteorological Observations

(a) At Perth (Latitude, 31° 57' S. Altitude above mean sea-level, 197 feet. Longitude, 115° 51' E).

1933.	Barometer.*			Shade Temperature.								Evaporation.		Rainfall.			
	Mean, 9 a.m. and 3 p.m.	Highest.	Lowest.	Mean Maximum.	Mean Minimum.	Maximum on any one day.	Minimum on any one day	Highest previous record since 1897.		Lowest previous record since 1897.		Inches.	Aver. 33 yrs. Inches.	Total.		Average for 57 years.	
								Max.	Date.	Min.	Date.			Inches.	Days.	Inches	Days.
Jan. ...	29.90	30.17	29.62	84	65	103	57	108	1921	49	1925	10.43	10.45	0.57	3	0.34	3
Feb. ...	.83	.02	.62	90	67	112	58	107	1915	48	1902	9.11	8.59	0.11	4	.41	3
Mar. ...	.94	.29	.68	81	62	100	50	106	1922	46	1903	7.02	7.63	1.15	6	.77	5
April ...	30.08	.33	.58	79	58	90	48	100	1910	46	1903	5.11	4.74	0.80	5	1.69	7
May ...	.00	.31	.50	69	53	87	45	90	1907	34	1914	2.97	2.75	4.67	16	5.11	14
June ...	.03	.24	.52	61	53	71	43	82	1914	35	1920	1.70	1.77	6.52	22	7.01	17
July ...																	
Aug. ...																	
Sept. ...																	
Oct. ...																	
Nov. ...																	
Dec. ...																	

* In addition to other corrections further correction for standard gravity has been applied.

(b) Mean Annual Rainfall in Meteorological Land Divisions in Western Australia during 1932, with averages to end of 1931.

Land Divisions.	Rainfall during 1932.		Average, previous years.		Period of Observations of Normal.	
	Range.	Mean.	Range of Means.	Average.	Range.	Average.
	Inches.	Inches.	Inches.	Inches.	Years.	Years.
North Kimberley ...	17.31 to 29.77	21.48	26.88 to 36.08	31.62	17 to 45	28
East Kimberley ...	13.86 " 26.72	19.32	16.83 " 30.89	23.17	18 " 41	32
West Kimberley ...	8.57 " 36.40	25.02	13.85 " 35.07	24.56	17 " 46	31
De Grey ...	4.26 " 10.15	6.18	10.90 " 15.34	12.78	26 " 46	35
Fortescue ...	4.15 " 11.22	6.94	8.62 " 15.55	11.18	19 " 46	33
West Gascoyne ...	8.57 " 21.37	13.65	8.10 " 13.42	9.54	24 " 49	36
East Gascoyne ...	6.08 " 12.60	9.45	8.34 " 11.60	9.42	19 " 43	31
South-West—						
North Coastal ...	11.86 " 24.46	18.28	10.94 " 20.30	15.87	14 " 54	28
Central Coastal ...	28.15 " 54.28	37.32	21.52 " 57.41	34.80	19 " 50	39
South Coastal ...	22.07 " 60.95	38.43	21.04 " 60.46	38.75	18 " 55	33
Central North ...	10.98 " 27.54	16.25	9.13 " 21.36	13.65	18 " 52	27
Central South ...	15.46 " 34.00	20.94	12.26 " 29.14	17.51	16 " 55	30
North-East ...	6.54 " 9.91	8.16	7.48 " 10.14	9.14	18 " 33	22
South-East ...	6.49 " 11.92	8.60	8.37 " 11.30	9.77	24 " 42	32
Buela ...	5.61 " 10.30	7.84	6.58 " 11.14	8.97	14 " 53	28

XVI.—PARLIAMENTARY ROLLS.

No. 44.—Legislative Assembly, Number on Rolls, 17th February, 1933, and General Election
8th April, 1933.

District.	Males.	Females.	Total.	District.	Males.	Females.	Total.
Albany	2,191	2,120	4,311	Mount Marshall ...	2,726	1,662	4,388
Avon	2,283	1,613	3,896	Murchison	1,889	664	2,553
Beverley	2,441	1,664	4,105	Murray Wellington ...	2,375	1,764	4,139
Boulder	1,606	1,327	2,933	Nedlands	4,169	4,297	8,466
Brown Hill-Ivanhoe	1,459	996	2,455	Nelson	2,949	2,438	5,387
Bunbury	2,330	2,300	4,630	Northam	2,426	2,120	4,546
Canning	3,997	4,859	8,856	Perth	3,724	3,619	7,343
Claremont	2,957	3,617	6,574	Perth, East	3,480	3,903	7,383
Collie	2,391	2,037	4,428	Perth, North	2,550	3,361	5,911
Forrest	2,472	1,679	4,151	Perth, West	2,923	3,773	6,696
Fremantle	3,638	3,793	7,431	Pilbara	440	109	549
Fremantle, North-East	3,026	3,545	6,571	Pingelly	2,389	1,621	4,010
Fremantle, South ...	3,760	3,715	7,475	Roebourne	442	144	586
Gascoyne	831	352	1,183	Subiaco	3,237	4,038	7,275
Geraldton	2,179	1,763	3,942	Sussex	2,237	1,805	4,042
Greenough	3,705	2,176	5,881	Swan	2,443	2,319	4,762
Guildford-Midland ...	2,982	3,092	6,074	Toodyay	1,869	1,533	3,402
Hannans	1,017	844	1,861	Victoria Park	3,509	3,955	7,464
Irwin-Moore	2,155	1,337	3,492	Wagin	2,432	1,793	4,275
Kalgoorlie	1,967	1,444	3,411	Williams-Narrogin ...	1,841	1,478	3,319
Kanowna	1,473	587	2,060	Yilgarn-Coolgardie ...	2,239	1,048	3,287
Katanning	3,018	2,251	5,269	York	1,717	1,309	3,026
Kimberley	691	222	913				
Leederville	4,236	4,830	9,066	Total	124,776	112,419	237,195
Maylands	3,284	3,820	7,104				
Middle Swan	4,103	3,800	7,903				
Mount Hawthorn ...	2,873	3,218	6,091				
Mt. Magnet—				ELECTION 8TH APRIL,			
Sub-District Mt.				1933.			
Leonora	851	372	1,223	Names on Roll	124,776	112,419	237,195
Sub-District Mt.				In Contested Districts	106,629	98,681	205,310
Magnet	804	293	1,097	Votes recorded ... ..	...	...	*186,014

* Including 4,176 informal votes.

No. 45.—Legislative Council, Net Enrolment, 7th May, 1932, and Biennial Elections,
7th May, 1932.

Province.	Males.	Females.	Total.	Province.	Males.	Females.	Total.
Central	4,779	1,001	5,780	South-West	5,467	1,329	6,796
East	7,700	1,822	9,522	West	6,212	2,240	8,452
Metropolitan	4,114	2,340	6,454				
Metropolitan-Suburban	17,467	8,107	25,574	Total	57,454	19,889	77,343
North	689	105	794				
North-East	2,099	922	3,021				
South	2,811	647	3,458	Election—7-5-32.			
South-East	6,116	1,376	7,492	Names on Roll	57,454	19,889	77,343
				In contested Provinces	30,461	11,406	41,867
				Votes recorded	17,145	5,503	*22,653

* Including 187 informal votes.

XVII.—SECESSION REFERENDUM 8th APRIL, 1933.

No. 46.—Results for the whole State of the Referendum taken under the provisions of the
Secession Referendum Act, 1932.

Electors on Roll.			Number of Votes Recorded.							
			Secession.				Convention.			
Males.	Females.	Total.	For.	Against.	Informal.	Total.	For.	Against.	Informal.	Total.
124,776	112,419	237,195	138,653	70,706	7,921	217,280	88,275	119,031	9,974	217,280

XVIII.—CENSUS OF 4th APRIL, 1921.

No. 47.—Population and Dwellings in Perth and Suburbs.

Local Government Area.*	Population.			Dwellings.			
	Males.	Females.	Persons.	Occupied.	Un-occupied.	Being Built.	Total.
Bayswater RD (Part)	1,134	1,171	2,305	574	28	3	605
Belmont Park RD	1,017	849	1,866	434	22	...	456
Claremont M	2,530	2,981	5,511	1,123	12	2	1,142
Claremont RD	2,062	1,495	3,557	676	42	10	728
Cottesloe M	2,220	2,813	5,033	1,027	45	8	1,080
Cottesloe Beach RD	1,546	1,675	3,221	702	20	3	725
Fremantle M	3,858	3,708	7,566	3,355	74	5	3,437
Fremantle, East M	2,145	2,278	4,423	935	21	15	971
Fremantle, North M	1,747	1,798	3,545	708	25	...	733
Guildford M	943	933	1,876	385	18	1	404
Guildford, West † RD (Part)	1,295	1,375	2,670	605	37	6	648
Melville RD (Part)	1,144	1,173	2,322	491	45	3	539
Midland Junction M	2,483	2,454	4,937	1,068	28	2	1,098
Peppermint Grove RD	433	377	1,110	209	5	...	214
Perth M	30,696	33,470	64,166	12,521	295	89	12,905
Perth RD (Part)	5,939	5,915	11,854	2,417	98	8	2,523
Perth, South M	1,370	1,590	2,960	667	63	5	735
Queen's Park RD	1,033	923	2,006	441	16	1	458
Subiaco M	6,292	7,855	13,647	3,028	75	38	3,141
Swan RD (Part)	151	147	298	64	1	...	65
Total	75,088	79,785	154,873	31,438	970	199	32,607

* M—Municipality; RD—Road District. † Now Bassendean.

NOTE.—For population of Municipalities and Road Board Districts throughout the State, see No. 232 issue for December Quarter of 1923.

No. 48.—Summary of Results relating to Population and Dwellings.

Particulars.	4th April, 1921.				3rd April, 1911.	* Increase during ten years, 1911-1921.
	Urban.		Rural.	Whole State.	Whole State.	
	Metropolitan.	Provincial.				
Area in square miles	136.82	53.08	975,780	975,920	975,920	...
Population—						
Males	75,088	21,291	76,698	a177,278	a161,565	15,713
Females	79,785	21,280	53,400	a155,454	a120,549	34,905
Persons	154,873	42,571	130,098	a332,732	a282,114	50,618
Per square mile	1,131.95	802.02	0.13	0.34	0.29	0.05
Dwellings—						
Occupied	31,441	9,215	32,894	73,550	68,775	4,775
Unoccupied	970	520	1,784	3,274	b 3,158	b 116
Being built	199	32	58	289	b 74	b 215
Total	32,610	9,767	34,736	77,113	72,007	5,106
Per square mile	238.34	184.01	0.04	0.08	0.07	0.01
Occupied Dwellings—						
Private Houses, Tenements, and Flats	29,741	8,681	31,763	† 70,185	† 66,553	3,632
Other than private	1,700	534	1,131	3,365	2,222	1,143
Total Occupied Dwellings	31,441	9,215	32,894	73,550	68,775	4,775
Per square mile	229.80	173.61	0.03	0.08	0.07	0.01
Occupied Private Dwellings—						
Average weekly Rental Value of all Private Dwellings	18s. 9d.	13s. 1d.	9s. 6d.	13s. 10d.	10s. 7d.	3s. 3d.
Average Weekly Rental Value of Private Dwellings occupied by tenants	17s. 9d.	13s. 0d.	8s. 6d.	14s. 2d.	c 10s. 10d.	3s. 4d.
Rooms per occupied Private Dwelling	4.67	4.51	3.71	4.22	3.67	0.55
Inmates per occupied Private Dwelling	4.43	4.24	3.77	4.11	3.68	0.43
Inmates per room in occupied Private Dwelling	0.95	0.94	1.02	0.97	1.00	— 0.03

* Minus sign (—) indicates a decrease.

a Includes Migratory Population (persons on board ships, trains, etc.), which is not included in any subdivision of the State. b Incomplete owing to defective collection in certain cases. c Estimated on the basis of all private dwellings. † The numbers of occupied private dwellings in 1921 in the Urban and Rural portions of the State respectively, grouped according to the material of the outer walls, were: Stone or brick, 20,467 and 4,076; Wood, 14,769 and 14,128; Iron, 2,724 and 6,177; Calico, Canvas, Hessian, etc., 147 and 4,927; Sun-dried bricks, 67 and 1,611; all other, 248 and 844. For 1911 throughout the whole State the totals grouped under the same materials were: 18,917; 20,611; 10,109; 14,216; 1,530; 1,170. In 1921 dwellings occupied by owners numbered in the Urban and Rural districts respectively 14,100 and 18,000; by Purchasers by instalments, 6,809 and 1,889; by tenants, 16,252 and 7,654.

XIX.—MID-MONTHLY EMPLOYMENT IN WESTERN AUSTRALIAN FACTORIES.

No. 49.—Index numbers representing the Trend of Employment in Factories and Works, compiled on the basis of monthly returns specially collected from establishments which furnish approximately 35 per cent. of the total employment in Secondary Industries.

The Annual Mean Employment for the year 1929-30 has been taken as a base equalling 100. The index number for 1930-31 fell to 77. The indices in the table hereunder show the fluctuations in the Number of Employees on the Pay Roll on or about the 15th day of each month, from July, 1931 to June, 1933.

Year.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	April.	May.	June.	July.	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.
1931	66	65	66	67	68	
1932	65	68	72	72	71	68	77	76	77	80	82	83
1933	82	83	82	84	80	80

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